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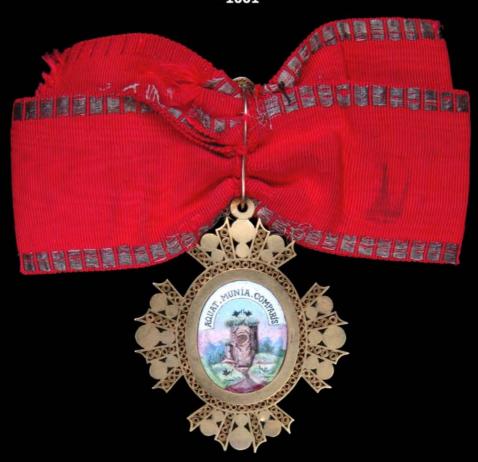
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WAR MEDALS, ORDERS AND DECORATIONS

Monday 30 November 2009 starting at 10.30 am

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IMPERIAL RUSSIAN ORDERS

‡1001

*Order of St. Catherine, Second Class badge or Lesser Cross, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, circa 1901-1908, with workmaster's mark ИЛ, in gold, diamonds and enamels, 98mm (including riband carrier) x 55.5mm, one stone lacking and with a minor chip to the edge of the oval enamel centre on obverse, extremely fine, with original riband bow
£60,000-80,000

‡1002

*Order of St. Catherine, a reconstructed Grand Cross set of insignia, unsigned, numbered '78', in silver, gold, diamonds and enamels, comprising: Sash Badge, with *later* enamelled centres portraying the Saint on obverse and eagles' nest on reverse (this slightly scuffed), approx. wt. of diamonds 6.85 cts., 55.3mm wide x 91.2mm high (including riband carrier, the suspension loop of which is scratch-engraved with the number '78'); and Breast Star, having articulated sprung rays fitted with terminal suspension eyes, with plain domed screw-mounted backplate and a vertical flat-profile brooch-pin carefully engraved with the number '78', approx. wt. of diamonds 13 cts., 86.5mm wide x 87mm high; and original sash and bow, offered as a rebuilt or repaired set with faults, having replacement non-original elements believed to include the centres of both the badge and star [see note below], generally extremely fine and patinated overall, uncased (lot) £60,000-80,000

The diamonds used throughout in the manufacture of this set are characterised by their late 19th / early 20th Century 'cut' and settings, but they are generally smaller and are of a less variable size range than is usually seen. Other inconsistencies of form and quality include the shape of the central crown of the breast star, which is also set on red enamel of a markedly paler hue than that seen beneath the surrounding legend.

It is thought possible that this set was assembled for exhibition purposes in the late Imperial or post-Imperial period and that it may therefore never have been issued as an original recipient's insignia. With these points in mind, prospective purchasers are particularly encouraged to undertake careful pre-sale viewing.

1003

*Order of St. George, Fourth Class Breast Badge, marked for St. Petersburg, 1908-17 and probably by Eduard (with incomplete ВД (?) mark on suspension ring; additionally with partial reduced kokoshnik mark on the body of the badge), in gold and enamels, of somewhat 'bulbous' form, 43.5mm (including suspension ring) x 38.5mm, thickness at centre 9mm, some surface scuffs to enamel and with moderate overall wear, very fine

£15,000-20,000

1004

*Order of St. Vladimir, Civil Division, Third Class Neck Badge, marks indistinct, in gold and enamels, the reverse centre with raised silver lettering of Slavic style, 50mm (including suspension ring) x 45.5mm, reverse centre heavily chipped, otherwise with moderate overall wear, very fine or better

£3,000-5,000

1005

*Order of St. Vladimir, Military Division, Third Class Neck Badge, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, 1908-17, in gold and enamels, both sword-hilts marked with small kokoshnik, 48mm (including suspension ring) x 43.5mm, reverse centre has been re-fixed and with moderate wear overall, very fine to good very fine

£4,000-6,000

1006

*Order of St. Vladimir, Military Division, Fourth Class Breast Badge, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, in gold and enamels, probably early Great War period, both sword-hilts marked with small kokoshnik, 39mm (including suspension ring) x 35mm, extremely fine; together with red morocco case of issue with gold-blocked Imperial eagle on the lid, this slightly marked but also in extremely fine condition

£5,000-7,000

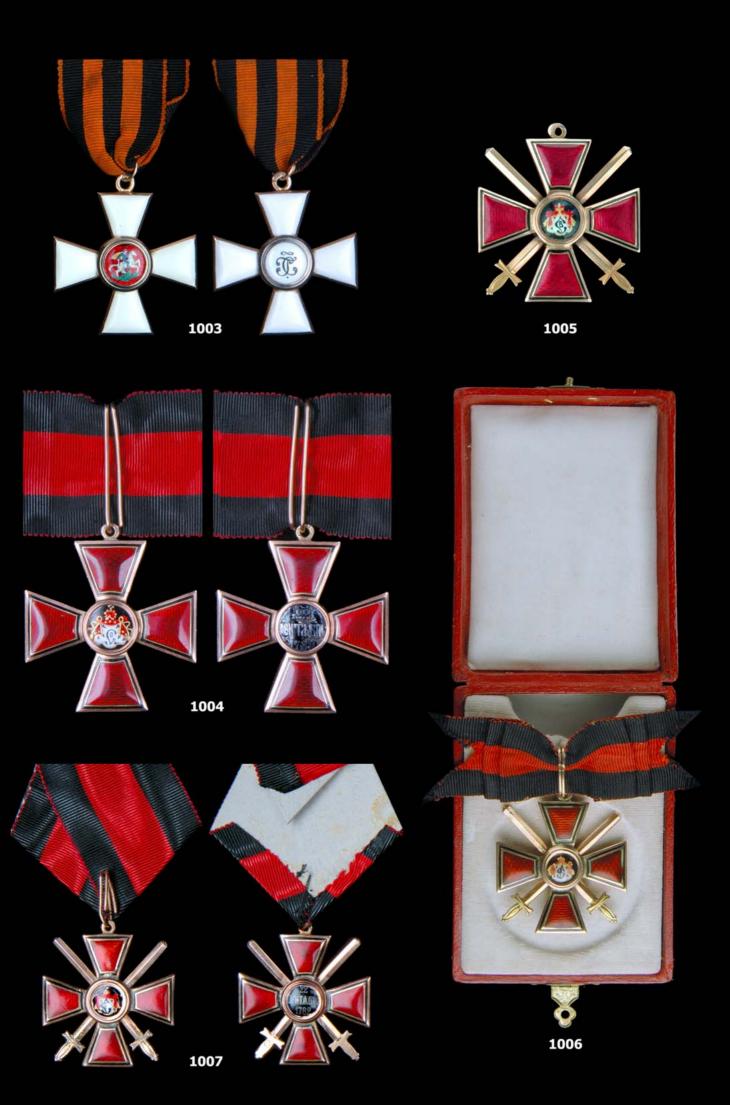
1007

*Order of St. Vladimir, Military Division, Fourth Class Breast Badge, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, in gold and enamels, similar to the last, Great War period, one sword-hilt marked with small kokoshnik, 39mm (including suspension ring) x 35.5mm, central medallion on obverse chipped and cracked, has been polished in the past, about very fine

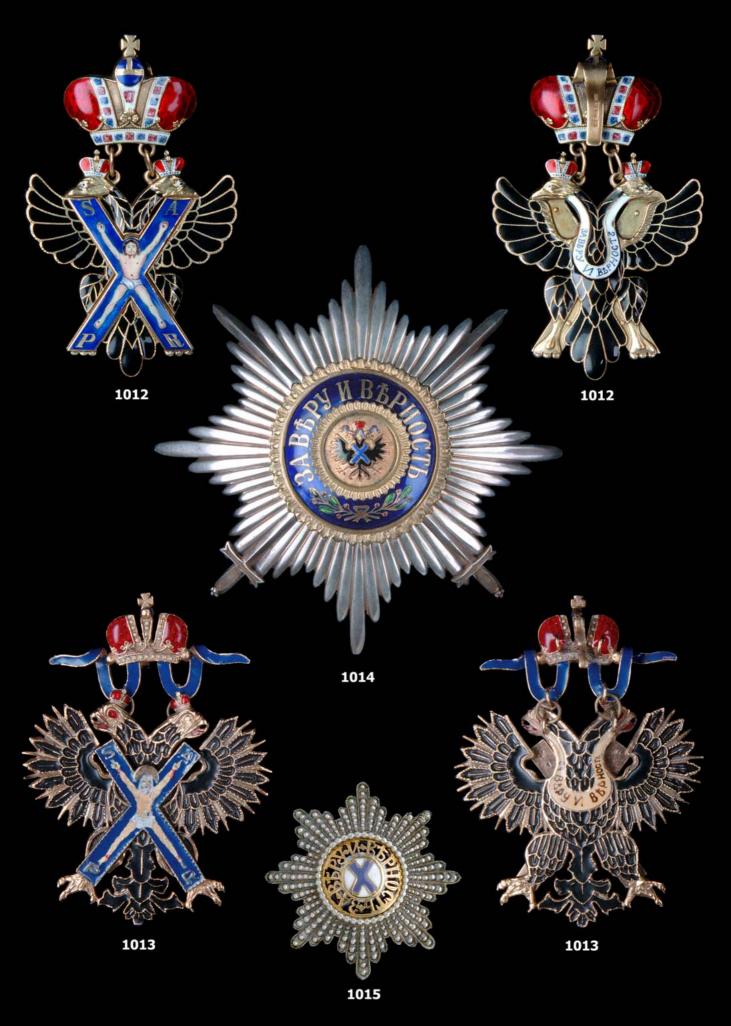
£2,000-3,000

1008

*Order of St Vladimir, Military Division, Fourth Class badge, 1916-17, unmarked, in bronze-gilt and enamels, 34.6mm, extremely fine £700-900







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*Order of St. Anne, Military Division, Fourth Class Badge, in bronze-gilt with laminated gold and red enamel surface layer, including the crown, 30.3mm (including suspension ring) x 19.3mm, almost half of the enamelwork lost or damaged, otherwise good very fine

£1,000-1,500

‡1010

*Polish Order of St. Stanislaus, Breast Star, unmarked, in silver with applied gold, silver and enamel centre, 92.5mm, with vertical brooch-pin for suspension, restoration to the green enamel of wreath and has been cleaned, very fine or better £1,500-2,000

1011

*Order of St. Stanislaus, Civil Division, Third Class Breast Badge, by Julius Keibel, dated 1864, in gold and enamels, 41mm (including suspension ring) x 38.5mm, central medallion on obverse cracked and the badge sometime cleaned, very fine £700-1,000

COPIES, REPRODUCTIONS AND FANTASY ORDERS

‡1012

*A Reproduction Badge of the Order of St. Andrew, in gold and enamels; with *false* marks and date 1851, 56.5 x 92mm (including suspension crown), *offered as a copy, extremely fine*£800-1,200

1013

*A Theatrical Copy Badge of the Order of St. Andrew, in bronze-gilt, paint and enamels, without marks but believed to be Russian-made, one eagle's eye missing, offered as a copy, about very fine £200-300

‡1014

*A large-sized Reproduction Breast Star of the Order of St. Andrew, Military Division type, in silver, bronze and enamels with crossed swords; bearing *false* Eduard marks on the backplate and brooch-pin, 108mm, *offered as a copy, extremely fine* £300-400

±1015

*A small-sized Star of the Order of St. Andrew, perhaps adapted from a helmet-plate, unmarked, in silver, with gold and enamel centre, 53.3mm, lettering of coarse style, reverse fitted with two clips for suspension, offered as a copy, very fine £100-150

‡1016

*Fantasy Badge: A large modern (believed 1990s) 'sash badge', in silver-gilt, silver and enamels, one side imitating the style of a George of the British Order of the Garter and the other the Russian Order of St. Andrew, each side with Garter and motto HONI SOIT QUI MAL Y PENSE around, 79 x 119mm, suspension ring with false Keibel marks, offered as a copy, virtually as made
£300-400

‡1017

*Fantasy Badge: A large modern (believed 1990s) 'sash badge', in silver-gilt, silver and enamels, one side imitating the style of a George of the British Order of the Garter and the other the Russian Order of St. Catherine, each side with Garter and motto HONI SOIT QUI MAL Y PENSE around, 79 x 119mm, suspension ring with false Keibel marks, offered as a copy, virtually as made £300-400

‡1018

*A Reproduction Breast Star of the Order of St. Catherine, in silver and uneven pink enamel, possibly constructed using an older star base but the centre of very coarse style, bearing *false* Eduard marks on the backplate and brooch-pin, 87mm, *offered as a copy, very fine*£250-350

‡1019

*An Unofficial Sash Badge of the Order of St. George, probably European-made, in gold, bronze-gilt and enamels, 60.3mm (including suspension ring) x 55mm, considerable evidence of wear, offered as a copy, generally very fine, with sash £400-600

‡1020

*Various Copies of Badges of the Order of St. George (6), comprising: two Fourth Class breast badges in gold and enamels, 39 x 36mm and 45.7 x 41.4mm, both good quality copies with doubtful marks, good very fine; a fantasy sash badge in bronze-gilt and enamels with painted glass centre, 81.5 x 74.7mm, has been acid-tested, apparently of some age, very fine; and three base metal theatrical or later copies of non-Christian type badges (one having a gold suspension loop), widths 54.2, 53.5 and 36mm, all six pieces offered as copies, generally very fine (6)

‡1021

*A Fantasy Breast Star of the Order of St. George, in gold and enamels, bearing *false* Eduard marks on the backplate and broochpin, 84mm, wt. 64g all in, *offered as a copy, good very fine*£400-600



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‡1022

Fantasy and Reproduction Breast Stars of the Order of St. George (5), one in gold and enamels, the unusual centre with a double-headed eagle on red ground, the construction otherwise very similar to the last but bearing *false* Keibel marks on the backplate and brooch-pin, 83mm, wt. 66.7g all in; together with other *fantasy or reproduction* St. George breast stars (4), in silver-gilt, base metal and enamels, various styles and sizes and all bearing *false* marks, *all offered as copies, good very fine or extremely fine* (5) £800-1,200

‡1023

*Fantasy and Reproduction Breast Stars of the Order of St. Alexander Nevsky (4), in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, one of Civil Division type, the other three Military, one having crossed swords, one with 'surmounted' crossed swords and the last with non-Christian type centre and crossed swords, this bearing *false* Keibel marks and the others with *false* Eduard marks, all 90mm approx., *extremely fine, offered as copies* (4)

‡1024

*Fantasy Breast Stars of the Order of St. Alexander Nevsky with Garter (4), in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, one of Civil Division type, second Military with 'surmounted' crossed swords and the last of non-Christian (Civil) type, each with blue-enamelled 'Garter' bearing motto HONI SOIT QUI MALY PENSE added around rays, and with false Eduard marks, all 90mm approx., extremely fine, offered as copies (3) £400-600

‡1025

*Order of St. Anne, 19th Century copies of early Badges (2), unmarked, both double-sided but of thin gauge, with integral suspension rings and painted central medallions of differing style; the first in bronze and enamels, 60 x 54mm and the second in bronze-gilt and enamels, 54 x 48mm, good very fine and about very fine; together with copies of later St. Anne pieces (2), comprising Insignia Badge in bronze and red enamel, unnumbered, 34.8mm (including suspension loop) and Military Division, Fourth Class Badge, with integral suspension ring, in solid bronze-gilt and red enamel, reverse numbered (N° 207) and also enamelled in red, 35.6mm (including suspension) x 20mm, good very fine, all offered as copies (4)

‡1026

*Copy: Polish Order of St. Stanislaus, an oval Registrar's Badge, of 20th Century manufacture, in early 19th Century style, unmarked, constructed from two embossed plates with central oval enamelled medallion and enamelled white eagles in the quarters, 51mm (including suspension loop) x 38.2mm, some enamel damage to eagles, good very fine, mounted on an old St. Stanislaus rosette; offered as a copy£100-150

1027

Copy: Order of St. Stanislaus, Military Division, an old theatrical copy of a Second Class neck badge, in bronze-gilt and enamels, 49 x 46mm, *very fine, offered as a copy*

‡1028

*Fantasy or Reproduction Breast Stars of the Order of St. Stanislaus (5), in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, four with 'surmounted' crowns, one of Civil Division type, second with crossed swords, third with 'surmounted' crossed swords and fourth with both types of crossed swords, all with *false* Keibel marks, 90mm approx., *extremely fine*, the fifth star without crown and possibly with some original base elements (but has been adapted to carry both types of crossed swords and with a copy replacement brooch-pin), *this with some enamel chips, very fine, all offered as copies* (5)

£1,000-1,500

‡1029

*Miscellaneous Copies of Orders, Decorations, Imperial Badges, etc. (14), including: Orders (4), including a 'black' St Vladimir Civil Fourth Class for 35 years' service in gold and enamels (illustrated); Insignia of St. George Crosses (3), 1st Class non-Christian in bronze [sic], 3rd Class non-Christian, and 4th Class, these both in base silver; Bazardjik Cross, in base metal, on St. George riband; Suite of Alexander II Aide-de-Camp badges (3); badge for Defence of the Port Arthur Fortress, in partly-oxidized silver, with battleship in black and white enamel at the centre (cf P. & B. vol. II, 10.5.); Soviet Order of Service to the Motherland, a (genuine) 3rd Class badge altered and renumbered to resemble a 1st Class, with fake Order Book and an under-sized Nachimov Medal numbered 485, mixed grades, all offered as copies; et infra (1) (15)

RIBANDS AND ASSOCIATED ITEMS

1030

Ribands (3), comprising **Order of St. George,** width 52mm (*approx.* 65cm long), **Order of St. Anne,** width 36.5mm (26cm long) and **Order of St. Stanislaus,** width 39mm (30 cm long), *all early and generally in very fine condition* (3) £150-200

103

Order of St. George Ribands (3), widths 49mm (*approx.* 1 metre long), 36mm (25cm long) and 35mm (17.5cm long), of 49 mm width, 250 mm of 36 mm width and 175 mm of 35 mm width, also early and in very fine condition (3) £200-300

1032

Order of St. George Sword Knots (4), Cavalry (2) and Infantry (2) issues, three with early ribands, fine (4) £250-350

1033

Order of St. Anne Sword Knots (3), all Infantry issues, fine; and a portion of a fourth sword knot (4)

£100-200



1035 (illustration reduced)



1035 (reverse, detail)



‡1034

*Order of St. Catherine, an original case for a Second Class award, in red leather with gold-blocked lettering on the lid, the fitted interior with gilt folding insert, 152 x 125mm, some scuffs and with moderate overall wear, generally in very fine condition £500-1,000

1035

*An English-Made Plate from the 'Emperor of Russia' Dessert Service, 1845, richly painted and gilt, with central badge of the Order of St Andrew and six panels around depicting badges of the Orders of (clockwise, from top) St George, St. Alexander Nevsky, St. Vladimir, White Eagle, St. Stanislaus and St. Anne, the plain reverse with the mark of A.B. & R.P. Daniell, Manufacturers to Her Majesty & The Royal Family, diameter 25cm, with a hairline crack to the edge at 5 o'clock and light evidence of use, in good very fine condition overall, attractive and rare

Queen Victoria commissioned a 62-piece Dessert Service in 1845 to mark the State Visit of Nicholas I to England in the previous year. The Times proclaimed 'A dessert service, of the finest porcelain, has just been completed by command of Her Majesty by the Messrs. Daniell, of Wigmore-street and New Bond-street, to be presented to the Emperor of Russia. The service is for 60 persons; it is highly credible to the manufactories of this country, and displays, both in the shape of the various pieces of which it consists, the brilliancy of the colours, and the splendour of the gilding, a great advance both in the art of design and the mechanical processes or preparing the clay and producing the enamel of the surface.'

Messrs. Daniell were to display a plate from the service at the Great Exhibition in 1851 and Nicholas I commissioned the Imperial Porcelain Factory to prepare additional pieces for use at Imperial banquets. Most of the surviving plates are preserved in the Hermitage Museum but a number were sold abroad by the *Narkomat* of Foreign Trade in the 1930s.

1036

Books (11), including: Gorokhoff, Gérard, Russian Imperial Guard, Moscow, 2002; De Gmeline, Patrick and Gorokhoff, Gérard, La Garde Impériale Russe 1896-1914, Paris, 1986; Tillander-Godenhielm, Ulla, The Russian Imperial Award System 1894-1917, Vammala, 2005; Дуров, В.А., Русские Награды XVII-начала XXв., Moscow, 1997; Государственные награды СССР, Moscow, 1987; other works in Russian, all concerning Russian Orders, Medals and Decorations, generally in good condition (11) £100-150









IMPERIAL MEDALS AND DECORATIONS

1037

*Peace with Turkey 1791, novodel oval medal, on a thick, regular flan, in silvered bronze, with impressed no. 156 on the edge (possibly over another mark), 40 x 33mm, with soldered loop for suspension, good very fine £150-200

1038

Chaplain's Cross for the Crimean War 1853-56, in bronze, 101 x 58mm, *a few marks and sometime cleaned, very fine*

£150-200

1039

*Russia, Small Silver Medal for Life Saving, Alexander III issue (Diakov 901.5), with suspension loop and suspension bar in the manner of a clasp reading LINA, edge engraved with naming in upright capitals (R.A. Howes, Chief Officer), on St. Vladimir ribbon fitted with silver brooch suspension, very fine and toned
£1,200-1,500

1040

*Russia, Small Silver Zeal Medal, Nicholas II issue, edge impressed with naming in large capitals (155333 E.J. Mitchell, M.A.A. H.M.S. Jupiter), extremely fine and toned

In response to a request from the Russian Government in late 1914, H.M.S. *Jupiter* was despatched to the White Sea in order to keep a track open and to assist ships in passage. She arrived at North Shields on 31 December to be refitted, departing on 5 February 1915 for North Russia. She arrived at Aleksandrovsk on the 19th, where she remained until the 27th. From 1-26 March she was employed breaking ice, arriving at Archangel on 27th where she remained until 8 April. She returned to Aleksandrovsk before sailing for Birkenhead, arriving on 8 May 1915.

Russian Orders were bestowed upon the ship's officers and are listed in *The London Gazette* of 19 November, 1915. The lot is offered with photocopied research.

1041

Various Campaign, Commemorative and Award Medals (9), comprising: Crimea 1853-56, in dark bronze; octagonal Zeal Medal, Alexander II issue in silver for award to lower ranks, with loop suspension (cf Diakov 637.7), *possibly a restrike, considerable scuffs, very fine;* Suppression of the Polish Rebellion 1863-64, in light bronze; Russo-Turkish War 1878-79 (2), in light and dark bronze; Coronation 1896, in silver; Award Medal to those Distinguished in the Census of 1897, in blackened bronze; Russo-Japanese War 1905, in dark bronze; Distinguished Service in the Mobilisation of 1914, in bronze-gilt, *mostly with ribands and generally very fine or better* (9) £700-900

1042

- *Insignia of Distinction of the Military Order of St. George (1916-17 issue), a mounted group of Four, comprising:
- 1) First Class Cross, in bronze-gilt, numbered N°.34533;
- 2) Second Class Cross, in bronze-gilt, numbered No. 70833;
- 3) Third Class Cross, in white metal, numbered 301137;
- 4) Fourth Class Cross, in white metal, numbered 1/M 228644, mounted for wearing, the first and third each with riband bow, good very fine or better (4)

£1,500-2,000

Ex Spink auction, 11 May 2001, lot 674.

1043

*Insignia of Distinction of the Military Order of St. George (1916-17 issue), First Class Cross, in bronze-gilt (1916-17 issue), numbered N° 39205, extremely fine, with riband bow

1044

- *An Insignia of Distinction of the Military Order of St. George Group: Six, comprising:
- 1) A Great War period French-made copy of a First Class Cross, in brass, unofficially scratch-engraved with the class ('1') and number '42378', *lacquered*;
- 2) Fourth Class Cross, in silver, numbered 128681;
- 3) Medal for the Centenary of the War of 1812, in bronze;
- 4) Medal for the Tercentenary of the Romanov Dynasty, 1913, in bronze;
- 5) Medal for Distinguished Efforts in the Mobilisation of 1914, in bronze;
- 6) Serbian Medal for Zealous Service, 1913, in bronze,

the group ribboned and mounted for wearing, cleaned in the past, good fine to good very fine (6)

£600-800

JETONS

1045

*50th Anniversary of the Polotsk Cadet Corps 1835-1885, by Lindholm, St. Petersburg, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, with applied steel cannonball, reverse with engraved inscription (cf. W. J-84), date 1886 additionally engraved on obverse, generally worn, fine to very fine

£200-300

















*The Imperial Yacht *Polar Star,* by workmaster OP for Fabergé, St. Petersburg, before 1896, of high quality in gold, silver and enamels, the central five-pointed silver star with applied shield and draped with ribbon having hinged suspension in the form of the Imperial crown with blue-enamelled bands, reverse of the star inscribed ПОЛЯРНАЯ ЗВЕЗДА, 48 x 34.8mm, *in original fitted case by Fabergé, minor losses and repair to the blue enamel of the bands and with moderate overall wear, good very fine* £6,000-8,000

1047

*For Donations to the Air Force, in silver-gilt and enamels, by BA, St. Petersburg, 1908-17 (Ivanov 129; W. J-63), enamel rather worn, fine to very fine

1048

*Red Cross, 1914, a circular plain gold and enamel presentation jeton by Karl Fabergé, reverse with engraved inscription translated as 'From the Special Committee of the Kiev Exchange to I.M. Mizrahi'., 24mm (including integral suspension loop) x 21mm, extremely fine £500-600

1049

*Red Cross, 1916, a small openwork cast oval presentation jeton by Karl Fabergé, in red white and pale blue enamel and set with a pearl on each side, 20.3 x 13mm, extremely fine £500-600

RUSSIAN IMPERIAL BADGES

MILITARY TRAINING ESTABLISHMENTS

1050

*Nikolaevsky Academy, in silver, by ΦΒ (?), Moscow, before 1896 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.1.), very fine or better

£150-250

1051

Mikhailovsky Artillery Academy, in partially-silvered bronze (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.2.), very fine

£60-80

1052

*Nikolaevsky Engineers' Academy, in silver, by AB, St. Petersburg, before 1896 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.3.), good very fine, in a Fabergé fitted case £700-1,000

1053

*Naval Military School or Academic School of Naval Studies, in silver and silver-gilt, by Л3, St. Petersburg, before 1896 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.7), gilding worn in places, very fine £400-600

1054

*Institute of Railway Engineers, in silver, by AT, St. Petersburg, 1896-1908 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.12.), cleaned, nearly extremely fine £400-600

1055

*Intendants' Academy, in silver and silver-gilt, by ELII, St. Petersburg, 1908-17, tie of wreath with applied letter I/I on red-enamelled rhombus (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.34), three pins for attachment of the Imperial eagle broken and in need of replacement, otherwise good very fine, with separate backplate

£400-600

1056

Imperial Medical Academy, in cast silvered bronze, with applied central shield; the thick-gauge elements carefully worked and chased to produce a finely-detailed badge (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.35), good very fine; Imperial Medical Academy Centenary (1898), in silvered bronze and painted enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.36), screwpost has probably been refixed, very fine; and Physician's (Lekar's) Graduation Badge, cast, in silver-gilt and blue enamel, of fair quality overall but copied from a silver original (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.37), one ribbon-tie broken, very fine to good very fine (3)

1057

*Veterinarian's Badge, in silver and silver-gilt, by ЛЗ, St. Petersburg (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.39.), with only traces of original gilding remaining, very fine

1058

*Veterinarian's Jubilee Badge, 1912, in brass, copper and black and white enamels (cf P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.40.), very fine £70-100

1059

*Graduation from Officers' Shooting School, in silvered bronze and brass, reverse of one rifle scratch-engraved 'VIII" (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.41), very fine

1060

*Graduation from Artillery Officers' School, in silver (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.42.), well-worn and cracked at one point on wreath, fine or good fine £80-120

1061

*Military Aviator's Badge, in silvered brass (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.55.), silvering worn, very fine

£400-600



INFANTRY SCHOOLS

*Chughuev Military School, by K.II, St. Petersburg, in silver-gilt and enamels, with a gold-rimmed medallion of St. George at the centre, engraved no. N3357 on reverse of one arm (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.3.), well-worn, with considerable losses to the central medallion of £100-150 St. George, about fine

1063

*Vladimirsky Military School, St. Petersburg, in bronze-gilt and enamels, with engraved number 4097a on reverse (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.4.), a few chips to enamelwork, very fine

*Alexandrovsky Military School, Moscow, by BP, Moscow, in silvered bronze and enamels, with applied gilt cyphers (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.6.), some damage and repair (including crude re-enamelling of the central Pelican in her Piety), generally fine

*Konstantinovsky Military School, Kiev, by BP, Moscow, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, reverse engraved with the number 927 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.11), central shield worn and central assembly slightly loose, about very fine £400-600

*Nikolaevsky Military School, Kiev, type 1 (without cypher of Nicholas II) apparently in silver, silver-gilt and enamels but unmarked, reverse stamped with the number 50 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.12), good very fine £800-1,200

1067

*Vilno Military School, by ВД (Eduard), St. Petersburg, in silver and enamels (with only traces of original gilding), impressed legend on edge (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.16), a very well-used badge with edge knocks and some enamel loss, about fine £300-400

1068

*Irkutsk Military School, by ВД (Eduard), St. Petersburg, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, engraved number 1964 on reverse (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.20), lacking screwplate and with overall wear including some loss of gilding, good fine £400-600

CAVALRY AND ARTILLERY SCHOOLS

1069

*Nikolaev Cavalry School, in bronze-gilt and bronze, reverse stamped with the letter J, 38.5 x 41.5mm (P. & B. vol. I, 1.3.1.), central star worn, very fine

*Elizavetgrad Cavalry School, by ЛП, Odessa, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, with monogram of Alexander II, date of the School's foundation 18-65 and shield of St. George, reverse engraved with the numeral 1541 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.3.2.), central shield worn, screwpost has been cross-threaded and reduced and now lacking screwplate, about very fine £400-600

1071

*Konstantinovsky Artillery School, by BII, St. Petersburg, in silver-gilt, silver and enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 1.4.1.), with matching silver screwplate, very fine to good very fine £400-600

ENSIGN SCHOOLS AND CADET CORPS

Engineer Troops in Petrograd, of crude style, in thick-gauge copper and white enamel with silvered centre (P. & B. vol. I, 1.7.30), cleaned, fine £60-80

Naval Corps, St. Petersburg, multi-part base metal construction with enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 1.8.5.), fine to very fine £100-200

1074

*1st St. Petersburg Cadet Corps, by MH, St. Petersburg, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, a variety with date '17-32' added in cartouches below the trophies of arms, with a neatly-engraved presentation inscription on the reverse translated as 'To the senior balalaika player V. Viv'yen, from the First Cadet Corps' (P. & B. vol. I, 1.8.8. var.), very fine, with matching screwplate and also a backplate engraved with the name I.L. Fedorov which has long been associated with the badge £1,000-1,500



*2nd St. Petersburg Cadet Corps (Peter the Great's), in bronze-gilt and enamels, with applied silvered Imperial eagle (P. & B. vol. I, 1.8.10.), top of crown broken and worn overall, fine £100-200

1076

*Polotsky Cadet Corps, in bronze-gilt and enamels, with silvered reverse; the central shield inexpertly re-enamelled in white and applied with the cypher of Nicholas II (cf P. & B. vol. I, 1.8.16.), some damage at centre, otherwise very fine
£100-200

CIVILIAN BADGES

1077

Riga Polytechnical School, in silver-gilt, a multi-part 'Academic' style badge fitted with vertical brooch suspension (P. & B. vol. I, 2.6), *good very fine* £150-200

1078

Imperial Universities, non-medical graduate's badge in silver and enamels, by И.М, Moscow (P. & B. vol. I, 2.17), *lacking screwplate, very fine;* together with an **Ensign's Graduation Badge** in bronze-gilt and enamels, having crossed downward-pointing scimitars with crossed standards, and letters KT on shield, *very fine* (2) £80-120

1079

*Pharmacist's Badge, in silver, with applied silver-gilt and white enamel rhombus supporting the silver letter Π , by A5, St. Petersburg (P. & B. vol. I, 2.81), with earlier silver screwplate marked Φ . Γ ., top of crown missing but otherwise good very fine £150-200

1080

*Imperial Benevolent Society, Jubilee Badge, 1902, in bronze-gilt and enamels, by Eduard, with vertical brooch suspension (P. & B. vol. I, 3.8), lacking the applied monogram UYO from blue-enamelled oval shield, otherwise good very fine
£300-400

1081

*Empress Maria Feodorovna's Fund for Guardianship of the Deaf-and-Dumb, First Class Badge, by Dmitry Osipov, St. Petersburg, in silver-gilt and blue enamel, with vertical brooch suspension (P. & B. vol. I, 3.20.), gilding a little worn, good very fine
£300-400

1082

*Empress Maria's State Establishment Decoration, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, in silver and blue enamel, with vertical brooch suspension (P. & B. vol. I, 4.30.), slight enamel loss, good very fine £200-300

1083

50th Anniversary of Legal Reform, 1914, in silvered bronze and bronze (P. & B. vol. I, 4.31.), *cleaned, very fine;* and a crudely-cast copy of a **Barrister's Badge** in bronze (P. & B. vol. I, 4.35.), *fine* (2)

1084

Russo-Turkish War Red Cross Badge, by VIM, St. Petersburg, in silver and red enamel (P. & B. vol. I, 7.1.); Red Cross Badge, by VIB, Moscow, in silver-gilt and enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 7.5.); and a jeton of the Red Cross Society of Elizabeth, by NP, in silver, reverse with engraved name and date 1902 and loosely fitted with a screwpost for suspension (W. J-158), all cleaned, worn and with some faults, about fine (3)

1085

*Union of Holders of the George Cross, in silvered bronze, bronze-gilt and enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 10.30.), with plain red-enamelled centre (i.e. lacking the St. George portrait), cleaned and with overall wear and enamel chips, good fine £300-500

1086

*Kiev Agricultural Society, 1897, Expert's Badge, in silver, with indistinct mark, in silver, plain reverse with screwback suspension, 37 x 33.3mm, cleaned, good very fine £200-300

1087

*Society of Gonfalon-Bearers at the Temple of Christ, Moscow, in silver and blue enamel, with 1899 Moscow kokoshnik (cf. P. & B. vol. I, 1.15.49), crown missing or broken from top edge, an extremely well-worn badge with some enamel repair, fair to fine £100-200



MILITARY BADGES

LIFE-GUARD REGIMENTS AND OTHER GUARD UNITS

1088

*Grenadier Regiment, by Schubert, in bronze-gilt and enamels, with silvered Polish eagle at the centre, reverse stamped Э.К. ШУБЕРТЬ (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.9.), scuffed but generally very fine £500-700

1089

*Pavlovsky Regiment, in cast bronze, with integrally-cast reverse inscription Л ГВ ПАВЛ[] ПОЛ (Р. & B. vol. II, 3.1.11.), with Eduard bronze screwplate, a few marks and screwpost probably re-soldered, fine to very fine

1090

*S.-Petersburgsky Regiment, in silvered bronze and matt black enamel (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.19.), test-marked on reverse, very fine £150-250

1091

3rd Rifle Regiment of His Highness, in silvered bronze and brass (P. & B. vol. II, 3.2.1.), centre poorly re-enamelled in red and screwpost fixing inexpertly re-soldered, has been cleaned, fine to very fine £100-200

1092

*1st Artillery Brigade, in bronze, with central silvered medallion of a lion's mask with a cannon in its jaws (P. & B. vol. II, 3.4.1.), cleaned, very fine

1093

*Guard Equipage, in silvered bronze and matt black enamel, with applied gilt cypher of Nicholas II (P. & B. vol. II, 3.5.2.), test-scratched on reverse and has been cleaned, very fine to good very fine £300-400

INFANTRY REGIMENTS

1094

*6th Tauride Grenadier Regiment, 150th Anniversary, 1906, a commemorative badge in silvered bronze, bronze-gilt, oxidized bronze and enamels (P. & B. vol. II, 4.1.6), with separate backplate, minor marks, good very fine
£200-300

1095

*6th Tauride Grenadier Regiment, 150th Anniversary, 1906, another very similar, also in silvered bronze, bronze-gilt, oxidized bronze and enamels (P. & B. vol. II, 4.1.6), *good very fine* £200-300

1096

*16th Mingrelian Grenadier Infantry Regiment of Grand Duke Dmitry Konstantinovich, by Eduard, St. Petersburg, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, the reverse with scratch-engraved naming (P. & B. vol. II, 4.1.17.), moderate overall wear and with light repairs to enamelwork, with separate silver backplate by Eduard which also bears scratch-engraved naming, good very fine £1,000-1,500

1097

3rd Narva Regiment of Price Michael Golitsyn, in bronze over the separately-made silvered bronze lettered banner (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.3.), very fine £100-150

1098

6th Libau Regiment of Prince Friedrich-Leopold of Prussia, in bronze and blue enamel, with applied cypher and crown (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.6.), *slight enamel damage at centre and sometime cleaned, about very fine* £100-150

1099

7th Revel Regiment, in pressed thin-gauge silvered bronze (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.7.), *cleaned, very fine*

£80-120

1100

17th Arkhangelorod Regiment of Grand Duke Vladimir Alexandrovich, cast, in 'oxidised' silvered bronze and bronze, with black-enamelled lettering and gilt reverse, believed to be a contemporary copy for wear by other ranks (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.17.), *also cleaned, very fine*

*19th Kostroma Infantry Regiment, in thick-gauge bronze-gilt and enamels, with rivetted central medallion and combined cyphers of Peter I and Nicholas II (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.19), some scuffs and wear to enamel, good very fine
£350-450

1102

34th Sevsk Regiment of General Count Kamensky, in copper/bronze and blue enamel, with applied gilt cypher of Catherine II (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.34.), *sometime cleaned, very fine to good very fine* £60-80

1103

36th Orlov Regiment of Count Paskevich-Erivansky, Prince of Warsaw, in pressed bronze, of two-part construction (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.36.), *with screwplate engraved with the name 'D.N. Rukhlin', cleaned, very fine*£60-80

1104

197th Lesnaya Regiment, in copper/bronze and red enamel, with applied bronze sword (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.156.), *enamel damaged* beneath the sword and with the original silvering to the face of the blade now polished away, fine to very fine £150-200

UHLAN AND HUSSAR REGIMENTS

1105

*3rd Smolensk Uhlan Regiment of Emperor Alexander III, in thick-gauge bronze, with painted enamel central shield in separately-made rivetted oval dated frame (P. & B. vol. II, 5.2.3.), sometime polished, some wear and hairline cracks to enamel, very fine or better £600-800

1106

*11th Izyum Hussar Regiment of Prince Heinrich of Prussia, apparently in silver but unmarked, with black enamelling to dates and applied cyphers and with white-enamelled wreath (P. & B. vol. II, 5.3.13.), has been polished in the past and therefore with virtually no traces of gilding remaining except on the plain reverse, very fine to good very fine £500-700

COSSACK ARMIES

1107

*Don Cossack Army, by Г.К, St. Petersburg, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels (P. & B. vol. II, 5.5.1.), also polished in the past, moderate overall wear including some flaking of the blue enamel, lacking screwplate, very fine to good very fine £1,000-1,500

MOUNTED ARTILLERY

1108

*3rd Mounted Artillery Battery of Emperor Alexander I, by ЭД (Eduard?), the maker's mark visible on four separate elements of the badge which has other indistinct marks, in silver (of 88 zolotniks?) with black-edged green enamelled shield, of multi-part construction (P. & B. vol. II, 6.2.3.), well-worn overall, with some inexpert restoration and has been re-assembled using glue in place of the original wire fixings, with domed screwplate which is probably non-original, about fine and with faults but a rare badge £2,000-3,000

1109

*13th Mounted Artillery Battery, in brass, of multi-part construction, somewhat crude style but believed to be a contemporary badge for use by other ranks (P. & B. vol. II, 6.2.8.), *fine*£250-350

1110

*14th Mounted Artillery Battery, in brass, with applied cannons, three-headed serpent and (copper) shield (P. & B. vol. II, 6.2.9.), well-polished in the past and with the serpent's tail incorrectly(?) soldered to cannon breech, with Eduard silvered screwplate also marked '5POH3A', fine to very fine £400-600

COPIES, REPRODUCTIONS AND ALTERED BADGES

1111

Naval Gunnery Officer's Badge, in silver or silvered bronze, unmarked, believed to be an older copy (cf P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.62.), *heavily polished, very fine, sold as a copy*

1112

Submarine Officer's Badge, in silver, original marks apparently erased and with clumsily-applied spurious marks (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.64), with faults and repairs and has been very harshly cleaned, lacking screwplate, fine, sold as a copy £50-100

Diving Officer's Badge, in silvered bronze (originally darkened), believed to be an older copy (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.65.), *cleaned and lacking screwplate, very fine, sold as a copy*£50-100

1114

Navigation Officer's Badge, in silvered bronze, with sextant over a black-enamelled compass dial, apparently also apparently an older copy of similar style to the last (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.66.), cleaned and lacking screwplate, very fine, sold as a copy £50-100

1115

*Naval Aviator's Badge, in silver or silvered bronze, with spurious (?) marks, also thought to be a copy but of differing style to the preceding lots (P. & B. vol. I, 1.1.68.), cleaned and lacking screwplate, very fine, sold as a copy

£50-100

1116

*Alexeevsky Military School, Moscow, an old copy of good quality in silver, bronze and enamels, with central monogram of Cesarevitch Alexei apparently in gold, the elements of the badge probably all cast from an original (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.9), screwpost loose, very fine, sold as a copy

£80-120

1117

Kazan Military School, a cast copy in base metal and enamels (P. & B. vol. I, 1.2.18); **Konstantinovsky Artillery School, St. Petersburg,** copy in silver, bronze and enamels, cast from a silver original numbered 11 (P. & B. vol. I, 1.4.1.); **Mikhailovsky Artillery School, St. Petersburg,** a poor quality copy (P. & B. vol. I, 1.4.5.); and **Suite of Alexander III,** a copy Officer's badge in silver, with spurious marks (P. & B. vol. II, 1.14.), *fine to very fine, all sold as copies* (4)

1118

*Suite of Nicholas II, Aide-de-Camp's Badge, apparently an old cast copy in silver, with horizontal brooch-pin suspension (cf P. & B. vol. II, 1.18. – 19.) very fine, sold as a copy £80-120

1119

Life-Guard Infantry, copy badges (7), of Semeonovsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.3.), Izmailovsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.5.), Moskovsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.13.), Litovsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.14.), Litovsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.14.), Kexholmsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.17.) and Volynsky Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 3.1.20.), mostly of low quality, all sold as copies (7)

1120

Life-Guard Dragoon Regiment, an old copy apparently in silver and possibly made by the electrotype process, enamelling of medium quality, with spurious marls (P. & B. vol. II, 3.3.13), well-worn and with some enamel loss; with other copies of Guard Unit badges (4), comprising **Grodno Hussar Regiment,** in silver (P. & B. vol. II, 3.3.14), **Centenary of the 1st and 2nd Kuban Sotnias of the Imperial Escort,** in brass (P. & B. vol. II, 3.3.15), **2nd Artillery Brigade,** an older copy of low quality (P. & B. vol. II, 3.4.3.) and **Life-Guards Sapper Battalion,** modern, in bronze (P. & B. vol. II, 3.5.1.), mixed grades, mostly cleaned, all sold as copies (5)

1121

Infantry and Hussar Regiments, copy badges (9), mostly base metal, of 11th Fanagorisky Grenadiers (cf P. & B. vol. II, 4.1.12.), 12th Velikie Luki Infantry (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.12.), 100th Ostrov Infantry, this in cast silver (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.89.), 2nd Sofia Infantry (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.2.), 142nd Zvenigorod Infantry (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.127.), 193rd Sviyazhsky Infantry Regiment (P. & B. vol. II, 4.2.153.), 1st Sumy Hussars, in silver(?), with spurious mark, 24th Lubny Dragoon / 8th Lubny Hussar Regiment, apparently an older copy, re-enamelled in green (cf P. & B. vol. II, 5.3.10.) and 12th Akhtyr Hussars (P. & B. vol. II, 5.3.14.), mixed grades and quality, all sold as copies (9)

1122

Miscellaneous Backplates and Screwplates for Imperial Badges (20), mostly in silver, including a finely-engraved named backplate dated 1913 by AT (88 zolotniki), *very fine or better* (20) £80-120

CIVIL WAR AND REPUBLIC AWARDS

1123

*First Kuban Ice Campaign, 1917, 'Crown of Thorns' badge, in oxidized silver, of two-part construction and with gilt sword-blade, with the number '772' impressed on reverse, height (to top of suspension ring, excluding sword) 33.5mm, suspended from St. George ribbon (as worn by combatants), gilding worn, generally very fine

£1,500-2,000

1124

*Order of the Red Banner of Labour of Ukraine, in partially-silvered bronze with red and black enamel, constructed of four superimposed elements and of heavy weight, the reverse fitted with unusual female screw-back suspension complete with correct knurled male retaining screw (but no backplate), unnumbered and therefore probably a specimen piece, small chip to enamel at top edge but otherwise good very fine

£3,000-4,000



SOVIET ORDERS

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*Hero of the Soviet Union, Gold Star Medal, type 2, no. 6838, with unofficial screwplate, generally well worn and has been tooled in places on reverse (possibly to remove gouges or marks), fine £500-1,000

1126

*Order of Lenin, type 5, variation 1, no. 125486, minor scuffs and suspension loop slightly strained, about extremely fine

£700-1,000

1127

Order of Lenin, type 5, variation 1, no. 135961, enamel loss below suspension loop, otherwise good very fine

£600-800

1128

Order of Lenin, type 6, variation 1 (Leningrad mint), no. 317593, suspension lacking (but with closed suspension ring as issued), extremely fine £600-800

1129

*Order of Lenin, type 6, variation 1 (Leningrad mint), no. 329891, minor surface marks, extremely fine

£700-1,000

1130

*Order of the October Revolution, no. 68543 (McDaniel variation 2), extremely fine

£150-200

1131

*Order of the Red Banner, with screwback suspension, no. 30546 (McDaniel type 2, variation 2), good very fine

£600-800

1132

*Order of Suvorov, First Class, no. 459, type 2, variation 2, with screwback suspension, in platinum, gold, silver and enamels, *lightly test-scratched on reverse, good extremely fine*

1133

*Order of Ushakov, Second Class, no. 13, in gold, silver and blue enamel; a comparatively early issue without a central retaining rivet piercing gold backplate (as found on later-numbered pieces) but with a Roman letter 'N' stamped above screwpost, has been polished in the past and with minor surface marks, very fine to good very fine £30,000-40,000

1134

*Order of Ushakov, First Class, no. 47, in platinum, gold, silver and blue enamel, *light traces of handling, generally extremely fine*£70,000-90,000

1135

*Order of Kutuzov, an *impaired* First Class award, type 1, *re-numbered* 68, fitted with early-style rectangular suspension, in gold, silver and enamels, *with screwplate (for rectangular suspension) of correct pattern, very fine*£10,000-30,000

It is known that some early badges of the Order of Kutuzov were officially re-numbered and re-issued, so it is possible that the present piece, although impaired, is in fact 'correct'. Whilst there is very clear evidence of erasure of an earlier serial number and of the subsequent re-engraving of the digits 68, the piece does not appear to have been converted (or re-converted) from a screwback issue; the gold backplate seems never to have been stamped with a mintmark and the reverse centre shows no visible traces of having formerly supported a screwpost.

As far as recipients of the insignia were concerned it was normal practice to exchange type 1 badges for type 2 screwbacks, and surviving type 1 pieces are rare.

1136

*Order of Nakhimov, First Class, no. 14, in gold, silver, synthetic rubies and blue enamel, *good very fine to extremely fine*£30,000-40,000

1137

*Order of Alexander Nevsky, type 3 (screwback), no. 23683, with earlier type concave reverse, general traces of wear, very fine £400-600

1138

Order of Alexander Nevsky, type 3 (screwback), no. 34350, similar to the last but reverse less concave, very fine to good very fine £400-600

















*Order of the Patriotic War, First Class, type 1, variation 3, engraved no. 17618, in gold, silver-gilt and enamels, with rectangular suspension, reverse with some surface scratches and stamped with the Latin letter 'L', good very fine to extremely fine £1,500-2,000

1140

*Order of the Patriotic War, First Class, type 2, variation 1, engraved no. 44681, in gold, silver-gilt and enamels, with screwback suspension, very fine £250-350

1141

Order of the Patriotic War, First Class, type 2, variation 1, engraved no. 130449, in gold, silver-gilt and enamels, with screwback suspension, *hammer-and-sickle slightly misaligned, good very fine* £250-350

1142

Order of the Patriotic War, First Class, type 2, variation 1, engraved no. 174509, in gold, silver-gilt and enamels, with screwback suspension, *some marks and faults to red enamel, good very fine*£300-400

1143

Order of the Patriotic War, Second Class badges of type 2 (3), different varieties comprising 'starback reverse' no. 207980, 'engraved mintmark' no. 321364 and 'small mintmark' no. 918933, *very fine and better* (3) £100-150

1144

*Order of the Red Banner of Labour, type 3, variation 1, duplicate issue no. 24099 with impressed letter Д at reverse centre, good very fine, an early 5-sided suspension piece issued in 1943
£150-200

1145

Order of the Red Banner of Labour (7), of types 3 variation 2 (2), nos. 98989, 113589, type 4, no. 156690, type 5 variation 1, no. 197493 (i.e. outside the range given by McDaniel), type 5 variation 2 (2), nos. 291677, 335844, and type 6 variation 1, no. 386635, *all good very fine or extremely fine* (7)

£200-300

1146

Order of the Red Banner of Labour (4), comprising type 5, variation 2, no. 285221 and type 6, variation 2 (3), nos. 494933, 696924 and 743265, *generally good very fine* (4) £100-150

The last (No. 743265) offered with original Order Booklet (without photograph) recording the award to Gasan Zul'figar ogly Yusifov in 1972.

1147

Order of the Red Banner of Labour (9), all type 6, variation 2, no. range 611829 – 1010692, all good very fine or extremely fine (9) £150-250

1148

*Order of Friendship of Peoples, no. 11107, extremely fine

£150-200

1149

Order of Friendship of Peoples, no. 33583, extremely fine

£150-200

1150

Order of Friendship of Peoples, no. 36890, *extremely fine*

£150-200

1151

Order of the Red Star (16), all type 2, no. 337019 with 'flat' star edges and later issues (15), no. range 738339-3649116, *very fine and better* (16) £200-300

1152

*Order of the Badge of Honour, type 2, variation 5 (variety), engraved no. 16832 (this executed using a hand-held rotary tool), screwback suspension with mintmark in two lines below screwpost, both gilt 'caps' from the central letters CC of CCCP missing, otherwise very fine to good very fine

£400-600

1153

*Order of the Badge of Honour, type 2, variation 5, hand-engraved no. 19059, screwback suspension with mintmark in two lines below screwpost, awarded *circa* 1942, *letter* '*caps' possibly re-fixed*, *very fine*£300-400

*Order of the Badge of Honour, type 2, variation 5, hand-engraved no. 21955, screwback suspension with mintmark in two lines above screwpost, 'caps' from all three letters CCC of CCCP missing and central figures well worn, generally good fine £400-600

1155

Order of the Badge of Honour (3), comprising type 3 variation 1, engraved no. 70576, *good very fine* and type 4 variation 1 (2), nos. 591505 and 793839, *very fine and better* (3) £100-150

1156

Order of the Badge of Honour (3), comprising type 3, variation 1 (2), engraved nos. 74204, 91078 and type 3 variation 3, no. 152327, one 'cap' missing from first C of CCCP, very fine and better; together with an erased and renumbered piece unofficially converted to screwback suspension, with unusual screwplate formed from a 1924 half-rouble, very fine, this sold as a copy (4) £150-200

1157

Order of the Badge of Honour (12), of type 4 variation 1 (9) and type 4 variation 2 (3), no. range 181629 – 1161641, *one missing two* 'caps' from CP of CCCP and lacking suspension, others all good very fine or extremely fine (12) £180-220

1158

Order of Glory, Third Class awards (10), all type 2, variety 1, including one duplicate (?) issue with erased engraved number replaced by the impressed no. 49763, *fine and better* (10) £250-350

1159

Order of Labour Glory, Second Class, no. 43490 and Third Class, no. 337307, good very fine to extremely fine (2)

£150-200

1160

Miscellaneous Soviet Orders (25), comprising: Order of the Patriotic War, 1985 Anniversary Issue badges (14), of First (8) and Second (6) Classes; Order for Service to the Motherland in the Armed Forces, Third Class, no. 41106, Order of Labour Glory, Third Class (5), including one of type 1, no. 33393; Order of Maternal Glory, badges of First (1), Second (1) and Third (3) Classes, mostly good very fine; together with various other orders, medals and badges (20), also including a small silver jeton in the form of a bullet, dated 8 XI 1902, mixed grades, some with faults (45)

1161

Miscellaneous Soviet Orders and Medals, comprising: Order of the Red Banner, type 4, no. 440130 (or 440139); Order of the Patriotic War, 2nd Class type 2 with concave reverse, no. 388210, and six examples of the 1985 Anniversary issue (type 3), 1st Class (3) and 2nd Class (3), two with Order Booklets; Order of the Red Star (2), nos. 850262, 2793574, this with Order Booklet dated 1948; Order of Glory, 3rd Class, no. 742711; Order of Maternal Glory (3), 1st, 2nd and 3rd Classes, and also 2nd Class Motherhood Medal; Medal for Bravery, unnumbered; Medal for Combat Service, no. 247987, fitted with later-type suspension; Medal for Valiant Labour, unnumbered, with Award Booklet dated 1972; and Medal for Irreproachable Service in Armed Forces, 20-year, with Award Booklet dated 1959, very fine to extremely fine (lot)

1162

Ribands: An Album of Soviet award ribands (96) all of *kolodka* length, including Orders of Victory, Lenin, Red Banner, Red Banner of Labour, Badge of Honour, Patriotic War, Glory, Red Star, all classes of Orders of Suvorov, Ushakov, Nakhimov, Bogdan Khmelnitsky, Labour Glory, Military Service to the Motherland, Gold Star for Hero of the Soviet Union, and Great Patriotic War Defence and Campaign medals, *in good condition;* together with **Soviet Posters** (4), one for the Victory Parade of 1945 and portraying a soldier holding flowers wearing the Order of Glory Third Class, Medal for Combat Service, Defence of Moscow and Capture of Berlin Medals, with inscription reading "*The war is ended in victory; soldier now let the earth blossom."*, two dated 1982, depicting (a) Soviet Orders and (b) Medals and Decorations; the last for the 40th Anniversary of Victory celebrations in 1985 and depicting a small boy standing with a *Chevalier* of the Order of Glory, *one with small tear at bottom margin, otherwise in good condition* (lot)

SOVIET AWARD MEDALS

1163

*Medal for Bravery, type 1, variation 3, no. 75522, in silver and red enamel, with rectangular suspension, *enamel well worn, very fine;* and Medal for Combat Service, type 1, variation 3, no. 269854, in silver, with rectangular suspension, *red enamel missing and with surface marks, good fine*£300-400

First piece illustrated.

1164

Medals for Bravery (4), all type 2, nos. 1036301, 1171352 (this lacking suspension), 1597481, 2402788; **Medals for Combat Service** (6), numbered N^{ρ} 15571, (this lacking suspension), 329720 (with type 2 suspension), 380081 (with type 2 suspension), 1856658 and unnumbered (2); **Medal for Valiant Labour**, unnumbered; and **Medals for Distinguished Labour** (2), both unnumbered, *generally fine to very fine, several with incorrect later ribbons* (13)

*Ushakov Medal, in silver, no. 2636, well-worn, fine

£800-1,000

1166

*Ushakov Medal, in silver, no. 8079, surface scuffs, about very fine

£600-800

1167

*Nakhimov Medal, in brass, variation 2, impressed serial no. 1112, very fine

£1,000-1,500

1168

*Lenin Centenary Medal, 1970, type 3, without award designation on reverse, as presented to foreign recipients on the occasion of the Centenary celebrations in Moscow, in gilt brass, with rectangular pin-back suspension, virtually as issued, in original red plastic and perspex display case, very rare

£450-550

1169

*Meritorious Pilot of the USSR Medal, extremely fine

£700-1,000

1170

*People's Physician of the USSR Medal, extremely fine

£500-600

Provenanced Awards of Soviet Orders and Medals

1171

*Grigoriy Alekseevich Gvasalia: One:

Hero of Socialist Labour, Gold Sickle and Hammer Medal, type 2, no. 3551, with original suspension and screwplate, *original suspension* loop broken and replaced with a soft-soldered substitute, otherwise good very fine; with

Sold with Identification Booklet, including small-sized Award Document, dated 1949.

1172

Khadidja Aliaga-Kyzy Abdullaeva: One:

Order of the October Revolution, no. 89557, awarded in 1981 (McDaniel variation 2), virtually extremely fine

£180-220

Sold with photocopied extract from the original Order Booklet.

1173

*Major Nikoly Grigorievich Kanygin, 724th Radom Order of the Red Banner Ground-Attack Air Regiment, 11th Combined Air Corps, Soviet Air Force: One:

Order of Alexander Nevsky (McDaniel type 3: 32083), awarded 1945, very fine

£1,000-1,500

Sold with research and citation for the Order of Alexander Nevsky recording his piloting of aircraft in 22 combat missions.

Also entitled to Order of the Red Banner, another Order of Alexander Nevsky, Order of the Patriotic War First^t Class, and Medal for Bravery.

1174

Private Ivan Markovich Migel, 711th Order of the Red Star Independent Wire Communication Signal Battalion, 53rd Army:

Order of the Patriotic War, First Class (McDaniel type 2, variation 1: 165600), awarded 1945, very fine

£400-600

Private Migel served in World War I and the Russian Civil War before joining the Red Army in 1941. He was wounded twice and contused twice.

The 53rd Army took part in the Demyansk Pocket and Kursk campaigns. It was the main attack army in the Korsun Shevchenkovskiy Operation in January, 1944. After fighting across Roumania, Hungary and Czechoslovakia the 53rd was transferred in 1945 to the Manchurian campaign.

Sold with research including citation for the Order of the Patriotic War First Class and notation for this (which was his only) award.

1175

*Private Vladimir Petrovich Kolody, 2nd Infantry Battalion, Sandomir Infantry Regiment, 172nd Infantry Division, 13th Army, 1st Ukrainian Front: One:

Order of Glory, Second Class (McDaniel type 3, thick: 30982), awarded 1945, good fine

£400-600

Sold with research, including citation for the Order of Glory, Second Class.















Ex 1191

*Petty Officer 2nd Class Ivan Pavlovich Grigorovich, Submarine L-4, Black Sea Fleet, Soviet Navy, One:

Ushakov Medal (impressed: 12100), awarded 1945, fine to very fine

£1,400-1,800

PETTY OFFICER 2ND CLASS GRIGOROVICH served as engine operator on the Submarine L-4 during the Defence of Sebastopol.

Sold with research, including citation for the Ushakov Medal. Also entitled to Order of the Red Star (for sinking enemy transport, 1944) and Medal for Combat Service (for sinking two landing craft, 1943).

1177

*Two Awards to related female recipients:

A) Valya Makhmud-Kyzy Alieva: One:

Order of the October Revolution, no. 10306 (Mc Daniel variation 1), awarded in 1973, good very fine;

B) **Telli Dadash-Kyzy Alieva:** One:

Order of the Badge of Honour, type 4 variation 1, no. 638066, awarded in 1972, good very fine (2)

£250-300

Sold with two original Order Booklets (without photographs).

1178

*Partisan Medals to a Husband and Wife, Two:

A) Partisan Medal, First Class, to Rygor Yefimavich Gertsovich;

B) Partisan Medal, Second Class, to Vera Paulauna Gertsovich, very fine or better

£600-800

First sold with original booklet with photograph, Partisan booklet with photograph, and document; second sold with original Partisan booklet with photograph, and document.

1179

*Sergey Matveevich Kharitonov: Pair:

1) Order of the October Revolution (McDaniel variation 1: 31712), awarded 1985;

2) Order of Labour Glory, Third Class (McDaniel type 2: 334462), awarded 1984, both extremely fine (2)

£180-220

Sold with original Order Booklet (without photograph).

1180

*Iosif Fedorovich Tkachenko: Pair:

1) Order of the Patriotic War, First Class (McDaniel type 1, variation 3: 7531), awarded 1943; 2) Order of the Patriotic War, Second Class (McDaniel type 1, variation 3: 29816), awarded 1943, *very fine or better*

£1,500-2,000

Sold with original Order Booklet (McDaniel variation 3). Also entitled to the Order of the Red Star, no. 185747.

1181

Grigoriy Kliment'evich Kochubei: Pair:

1) Order of Glory, Third Class, no. 757536;

2) Medal for Bravery, no. 527385, generally good very fine (lot)

£80-120

Sold with a duplicate Order Booklet dated 1974, apparently replacing the original wartime issue.

1182

Partisan Lavrenty Fomich Borisevich: Three:

- 1) Order of the Patriotic War, Second Class (McDaniel type 3: 1440444), awarded 1985;
- 2) Partisan Medal, First Class;
- 3) Jubilee Medal for 40 Years of the Soviet Army and Navy, very fine and better

£300-400

Sold with two original Partisan ID booklets with photograph, Order Booklet for Order of the Patriotic War, Second Class, and medal award card.

1183

Vladimir Fotievich Cherednik: Eight:

- 1) Partisan Medal, First Class;
- 2) Defence of Kiev Medal (McDaniel variation 1);
- 3) Jubilee Medal for the 20th Anniversary of Victory in the Great Patriotic War;
- 4) Jubilee Medal for the 30th Anniversary of Victory in the Great Patriotic War (McDaniel variation 1, "To a Combatant" reverse);
- 5) Jubilee Medal for the 40th Anniversary of Victory in the Great Patriotic War (McDaniel variation 1, "To a Combatant" reverse);
- 6) Jubilee Medal for 50 Years of the Soviet Army and Navy;
- 7) Medal for the Commemoration of 1500 Years of Kiev;
- 8) Czechoslovakia Partisan Medal, very fine and better

£400-600

Sold with original award booklet with photograph, and seven award cards (including one for the Czechoslovakia Partisan Medal).

SOVIET BADGES

1184

*10th Anniversary of the October Revolution, 1927, in bronze and red enamel, screwback suspension, good very fine

£60-80

1185

10th Anniversary of the October Revolution 1927, in bronze and red enamel, with screw-back suspension, star chipped, very fine £60-80

1186

*Honoured Railwayman's Badge, numbered 5270, in silver, gilt and enamels, apparently without hallmark, screwback suspension, 46.5 x 35.2mm, slight enamel loss and evidently a well-used badge, good fine £400-500

1187

*To 'Sharp Shooter' in the Gold and Platinum Industry, in parcel-gilt silver, red and white enamel, screw-back suspension, with portrait of Kalinin and depicting an ore conveyor with a gold nugget (825), very fine
£2,000-3,000

1188

University Graduate's Badge, in silver, silver-gilt and blue and white enamels, 1940's period, with screwback suspension, 47.5 x 27mm, extremely fine £60-80

1189

Glory to the Soviet Army, a badge in embossed silvered bronze and red enamel, caped rifleman on central shield, 39 x 25.5mm, suspension by bendable metal tabs, *rather discoloured, about very fine*£60-80

1190

50th Anniversary of the Lettish Riflemen, 1967, badge in silvered bronze, bronze and red enamel, of good quality three-part construction, screwback suspension, *extremely fine* £100-150

1191

*An Unusual Suite of Jewelled `XAHOH' Crosses, Leningrad, 1958-68, hand-made in gem-set silver and silver-gilt, comprising: (i) large cross mounted for wear either as a pendant or brooch, 41.5mm, reverse scratch-engraved XAHOH СРЕДНИЙ КРЕСТ N2 and with initials E.A., unmarked; (ii) small cross with (worn) gold suspension loop, 23.5mm, similarly engraved with legend and initials E.A. and also unmarked; and (iii) a silver spoon, 137mm, the handle set with a miniature (19.5mm) cross of similar pattern, hallmarked on reverse and engraved with the same initials E.A., good very fine or extremely fine, the spoon in a well-made fitted wooden display case (3) £300-500

1192

*Latvia, 4th National Census (1935), badge in silver (.875 fine) and blue enamel, scratch-engraved with the number **5168**, with bronze pin-back suspension, 45.5 x 26mm, *good very fine* £150-200

END OF FIRST SESSION

(The afternoon session of this sale includes a number of lots of Russian interest while Russian coins and historical medals will be offered on Wednesday, 2 December).

SESSION TWO starting at 2 pm

lots 1193-1398



SESSION TWO

Monday 30 November 2009 starting at 2.00 pm

WORLD ORDERS, MEDALS AND DECORATIONS

‡1193

*Austria, Order of St. Stephen, Commander's neck badge, unmarked, in silver-gilt and enamels, 74 x 41mm, extremely fine £300-400

±1194

*Austria, Order of Leopold, Knight's breast badge, by Rothe and Neffe of Vienna, in gold and enamels, 55 x 35mm, extremely fine £300-500

‡1195

*Austria, Order of Franz Joseph, Commander's neck badge, 1917 issue, in bronze-gilt and enamels, with War Decoration and Silver Swords 70 x 38.4mm, extremely fine £300-500

‡1196

Austria, Military Merit Order, Type 2, Third Class breast badges (2), in silver, gilt and enamels, one with added War Wreath and Swords; Honour Decoration of the Red Cross, Second Class Cross, in silver, gilt and enamels, with War Wreath; Marianer Cross 1871, neck cross, in silver and enamels; Cross of Merit, Golden Merit Cross with Crown, in gilt and enamels; Military Bravery Medal, Franz Joseph issue (1867-1916), Second Class Silver Medal; War Cross for Civil Merit, Third Class breast badge, in silver and white enamel; Tyrolean Defenders of the Country 1848, in silver; Danish War Medal 1864, with inscribed rim; Tyrolean Defenders of the Country 1866, in silver; together with a commemorative medal for General Radetsky's Italian Campaigns 1848-49, in bronze-gilt, by I.M. Scharff, 57.3mm, this with suspension loop, two or three with minor faults but generally very fine or better (11)

1197

Brazil, Order of Military Merit, Officer's breast badge, by La Royale of Rio de Janeiro, in silver-gilt and enamels, 37.5mm, *in case of issue, with related lapel badge, extremely fine* £120-150

±1100

*Bulgaria, Order of Military Bravery, breast cross, unmarked and undated, in silver-gilt and enamels, 57mm, centre inverted, extremely fine £300-400

‡1199

*Bulgaria, Order of St. Alexander, Third Class neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 93 x 51.4mm, extremely fine £250-300

‡1200

Bulgaria, Order of Civil Merit, Type 1, 'Princely Crown' issue, Third Class neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 95 x 63mm, *extremely fine* £180-220

1201

*Bulgaria, Royal Ladies' Decoration of King Ferdinand and Queen Eleonora (1908-17), in the form of a crowned FE cypher in gold set with in diamonds, 38.2 x 20.5mm, with pin back suspension and mounted on Lady's bow for wearing, extremely fine and rare £5,000-7,000

‡1202

*China, Order of the Golden Grain, Fourth Class breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 49mm, with related fittings, extremely fine £250-300

1203

China, People's Republic, Air Defence Medal, in silver, with red-enamelled star, 49mm, *lacking retaining pin, fine;* together with Soviet Union, Defence of Sebastopol medal, 31mm, *very fine* (2) £100-120

1204

*Colombia, Iron Cross for Valour in the Korean War, 44mm; together with United Nations Korea Medal, Spanish language, with Korea clasp as awarded to Colombian troops, extremely fine, both rare (2) £400-600

±1205

Croatia, Order of King Zvonimir's Crown, Third Class breast badge with Oak Leaves, in silver-gilt and enamels, 41mm, *reverse chipped, very fine* £100-150

‡1206

*Denmark, King Christian IX's Medal of Recompense, in silver, unnamed as issued, 31mm, very fine; together with 1864 War Commemorative, Type 1, in bronze, 30.5mm, this lacquered, very fine (2) £200-250

First piece illustrated.



‡1207

Egypt, Order of the Nile, Fifth Class breast badge, by Lattes of Cairo, in silver, gilt and enamels, 73 x 53mm, *centre loose, otherwise good very fine*

±1208

Finland, Order of the White Rose, sash badge, unmarked, in bronze-gilt and enamels, 53.5mm, *of unofficial manufacture, good very fine, with sash* £100-200

1209

Finland, Order of the Finnish Lion, Second Class set of insignia, hallmarked 1995, comprising neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, and breast star, in silver, with gilt and enamelled centre, *in case of issue, extremely fine* (2) £500-700

1210

*Finland, Observer's Badge, in silver, with enamelled centre, 49 x 36.5mm, with screw-back fitment, retaining nut lacking, good very fine and rare £450-500

1211

Finland, Bronze Plaque for Swedish Volunteers in the Winter War, 1940, 85.5 x 50.5mm, extremely fine

£80-120

±1212

France, Légion d'Honneur, Third Republic issue, Commander's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 86 x 63mm, *extremely fine;* Knight's breast badge, in silver, gilt and enamels, 55 x 41.5mm, *chipped good fine* (2) £100-150

‡1213

France, Médaille Militaire, Third Republic issue, uniface suspension type; with medals for Italian Campaign 1859, Mexican Expedition 1862-63, both by Barre, Tonkin 1883-85, Army issue, Dahomey 1892, and Colonial Medal, small type, 1 clasp, Afrique Occidentale Française, good fine to good very fine (6)
£250-300

1214

France, China Medal 1900-01, with clasp Chine 1900-01, *good very fine;* together with Germany, China medal 1900-01, Combatant issue, no clasp, *good extremely fine* (2)

1215

*Germany, Bavaria, Order of Theresia, badge for a Lady of Honour, in gold and enamels, the central T set with diamonds, 74 x 45mm, in case of issue, mounted on Lady's bow and with additional sash, extremely fine £2,000-3,000

Bestowed upon Ludmilla Gräfin zu Castell-Castell, 18 March 1929. Offered with the original Warrant, signed by Crown Princess Antonia of Bavaria, and with relating Statutes.

1216

*Germany, Bavaria, Lifesaving Medal, in silver, 39.6mm, edge bruises and contact marks, good fine and rare

£450-500

‡1217

*Germany, Brunswick, Order of Henry the Lion, Second Class Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 55 x 40mm, extremely fine £250-300

1218

Germany, Hamburg, Hanseatic Cross, in silver and enamel, 40mm, *in case of issue, good very fine, sold with coloured photocopy of a portrait of General Freiherr von Freytag-Loringhoven* £100-120

‡1219

Germany, Hanseatic Crosses (3), comprising Bremen, Hamburg and Lubeck issues, in silver and red enamel, *good very fine or better* (3) £100-150

1220

*Germany, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Friedrich Franz-Alexandra Cross, in silver, 44mm, with Lady's bow, good very fine

£180-220

±1221

*Germany, Prussia, Order of the Crown, Third Class breast badge, with 'W' scratched on lower limb, in gold and enamels, 42.5mm, extremely fine £200-300

1222

*Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1813, Second Class, 39.8mm, iron cracked, very fine and scarce

£1,000-1,200

‡1223

*Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1870, Second Class, with oak leaf clasp for 25 years, 41.3mm, with non combatant riband, very fine £250-300

1224

*Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, First Class pin back badge, by Wagner and Söhne of Berlin, reverse engraved Rancourt 28. 8. 14., 42mm, has been cleaned, good very fine, in case of issue





Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, Second Class breast badge, on old Lady's bow, very fine and scarce as a Lady's award £80-120

1226

Germany, Prussia, Life Saving Medal, 1833-64 type, obverse legend reading KOENIG, 25.8mm, extremely fine

£100-120

1227

*Germany, Saxe-Weimar, Mounted Group, Three: Order of the White Falcon, Silver Merit Cross, 1902-18 issue, Montenegro, Silver Merit Cross, in silver and enamels, Russia, Small Silver Zeal Medal, in nickel, mounted for wearing, second chipped, fine or better (3) £350-400

1228

*Germany, Saxony, Order of Albert, Type 1 (1850-76), Second Class set of insignia, by Moritz Elimeyer of Dresden, comprising neck badge, in gold and enamels, 82 x 52mm, and breast star, in silver, with gold and enamelled centre, reverse engraved *Moritz Elimeyer Konigl. Sächs. Hofjuwelier Fundierect S. M. der Koningin von ENGLAND. Herzogl. Sachsen Coburg Hofjuwelier DRESDEN,* 72.8mm, *in case of issue, extremely fine and rare* (2) £3,000-5,000

1229

*Germany, Saxony, Order of Civil Merit, Knight's breast badge, Second Class Knight's breast badge, in silver and enamels, good very fine £200-250

‡1230

Germany: Miscellaneous Orders, Medals and Decorations (6), comprising: BAVARIA, Order of Military Merit, Fourth Class breast badge, in silver and enamels; HANNOVER, Langensalza medal 1866, impressed **(H. Rodewald)**; HOHENZOLLERN, Princely House Order, Silver Merit Medal, with Swords; PRUSSIA, War Merit Medal and 1870-71 War Medal *(this with incorrect riband)*; and SAXONY, Order of Albrecht, Second Class Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, *very fine or better* (6) £150-200

1231

German Imperial, Great War Mounted Group, Four, Iron Cross 1914, PRUSSIA, Red Cross Medal, Third Class, in bronze-gilt, BAVARIA, Order of Military Merit with Swords, in silver, gilt and enamels, HAMBURG, Hanseatic Cross, in silver and red enamel, *mounted for wearing, very fine or better* (4)

£300-350

1232

German Imperial, a Riband Bar with clasp [but no medals], representing Iron Cross, Franco-Prussian War Medal and South West Africa Campaign Medal, this with clasp Toasis, *very fine;* and **Bavaria,** miniature Military Merit Medal in silver-gilt, 16mm, *mounted on stickpin, with riband, extremely fine* (lot) £180-220

1233

*Germany, Third Reich, Olympic Games Decoration 1936, First Class Neck Cross, in bronze-gilt and white enamels, 69 x 62mm, in case of issue, this with some scuffs to leather exterior and fraying to silk interior, extremely fine and rare [767 neck crosses awarded] £1,000-1,200

1234

Germany, Third Reich, Blue Division Decoration 1941, of Spanish manufacture, in silvered metal; together with cloth Luftwaffe Air Gunners / Flight Engineer's Badge, *very fine or better* (2) £140-160

1235

Germany, Third Reich, a group of five: Iron Cross 1939; War Merit Cross, Second Class with swords; Russian Campaign 1941-42; ROMANIA, Order of the Crown with swords and Anti-Communist Merit Medal, *mounted for wearing, good very fine or better* (5) £180-220

1236

Germany, German Cross in silver, 1957 issue, unmarked, in silver and enamels, with War Merit Cross at centre, *extremely fine* £80-120

1237

Greece, Order of George I, Commander's neck badge, by Spink and Son, in silver-gilt and enamels and with hinged crown, 80 x 46.5mm, *in case of issue, extremely fine,* with a bronze Greek regimental pinback brooch £200-250

1238

Greece, Order of the Phoenix, Republic issue, post 1967, Second Class set of insignia, both hallmarked .950, comprising neck badge, in silver-gilt and white enamel, 57mm, and breast star, in silver, with gilt centre, 80mm, *in case of issue, extremely fine* (2) £350-400

‡1239

*Greece, Royal Household Medal, George I, First type, in silver, 30.5mm, good very fine; together with Order of the Redeemer Type 2, in silver, gilt and enamels, 35.5mm, extremely fine £200-300

First piece illustrated.

‡1240

Hungary, Order of Merit, Commander's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 53mm, good very fine

£80-120

1241

*Italy, Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Second Class set of insignia, Victor Emanuel II issue (1861-78), comprising neck badge, in gold and enamels, 82.5 x 52.5mm, and breast star, in silver, with gold and enamelled centre, 75mm, in case of issue, with crowned VE on lid and with original neck riband, extremely fine (2)

£500-700















Italy, Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Commander's neck badge, in gold and enamels, 80 x 52mm, green enamel chipped in places, better than very fine; together with Al Valore Militare, in silver, uniface for attachment to regimental flag, by Stefano Johnson of Milan, 34.5mm, very fine (2) £300-400

‡1243

Italy, Order of the Crown, Commander's neck badge, in gold and enamels; Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Commander's neck badge, in gilt and enamels; Order of Military Merit, Knight's breast badge; in gilt and enamels; Roman Republic, Second Republic (1848-49), Silver Civil Merit Medal; Vatican, Order of St. Gregory, Knight's breast badge, by Tanfani of Rome, in silver-gilt and enamels; Defence of Rome, 1849, in bronze, second chipped, very fine or better (6) £300-400

‡1244

Italy, Al Valore Militare, 'silver' issue, unofficial type, late 19th century, in silvered bronze, edge engraved Major. J.D. Shakspear H. A. Crimea; Italian Unity Medal, Umberto II, in silver; Liberation of Rome 1870, in bronze; Africa Campaign Medal, no clasp; Messina Earthquake, by L. Giorgi, in silver, 35mm, very fine or better (5) £150-200

MAJOR JOHN DAVENPORT SHAKSPEAR is not recorded as having received the Al Valore Militare.

‡1245

*Italy, Kingdom of Napoleon, Order of the Iron Crown, Knight's breast badge, in silver, with enamelled motto, with gold medallion of Napoleon facing right at centre of enamelled crown, 32 x 22mm, almost all of the enamel on the crown lacking and motto chipped, very fine £1,200-1,500

±1246

Italy, Two Sicilies, Constantinian Order of St. George, Knight of Justice's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, with crown and trophy of arms suspension, 50mm (excluding suspension), good very fine £200-300

*Italy, Two Sicilies, Order of Francis I, Commander's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 83 x 52.5mm, obverse motto chipped, £800-1,000 good very fine

‡1248

Italy, Two Sicilies, Campaigns of 1860, in bronze, 28mm, extremely fine

£100-150

1249

Luxembourg, Order of Adolph of Nassau, Officer's breast badge, with Crown, in silver-gilt and enamels, a European made piece with the revere dates 1292-1860 instead of 1292-1858, 39.5mm, left limb chipped on reverse and ball at end of right limb bent, very fine

Malta, Order of Malta, Knight of Justice, Honour and Devotion's neck badge, by Tanfani and Bertarelli of Rome, in silver-gilt and enamels, 105 x 47, good very fine £150-200

*Montenegro, Order of Danilo, Grand Cross sash badge, in silver, gilt and enamels, with gold and enamelled centre, 73 x 49.5, extremely fine, with sash £600-800

1252

Nepal, Order of Trischakti Patra, Second Class breast star, in silver, with gilt and enamelled centre, 84mm, good very fine £140-160

*Norway, Order of St. Olav, Type 1 (1847-1906), Knight's breast badge, in gold and enamels, 61 x 41.5mm, good very fine

£250-300

*Norway, Hirdstafetten Plaque 1944, First Class, in bronze, with central enamelled circle within wreath, 71 x 50mm, very fine and £280-320

‡1255

Portugal, Order of Aviz, Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels 60 x 45mm, Order of the Portuguese Red Cross, Fourth Class £200-250 breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 37.5 mm; Maria I's Silver Medal of Merit, 29mm, good very fine or better (3)

‡1256

Romania, Order of the Star, Military Division, Commander's neck badge and Officer's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels; Order of the Crown, Type 1 Civil Division, Commander's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, with silver crown, enamel lacking on lower obverse limb, Type 2, Military Division, Commander's neck badge, in gilt and enamels, Knight's breast badge, in silver, gilt and enamels; Cross for Military Virtue, Carol I issue, in silver, very fine or better (6) £300-350

*Serbia, Order of St. Sava, Type 1 (1883-1903), Military Division, Commander's neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, with red robed saint and Milan I monogram on reverse, 78 x 50mm, extremely fine and scarce





‡1258

Serbia, Silver Medal for Zealous Service 1913; Silver Milosh Oblich Medal; 1912 War Commemorative, in bronze-gilt; 1913 Commemorative Cross; together with Yugoslavia, Order of the Crown, Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, *good very fine or better* (5) £120-150

1259

Spain, Order of St. Hermenegildo, Grand Cross set of insignia, comprising sash badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 35mm, and breast star, in silver and gilt, with gilt and enamelled centre, 63.7mm, *extremely fine, with sash;* Order of Military Merit, breast star, peace time issue, in silver, gilt and enamels, 62.2mm, *good very fine* (3)

£250-300

‡1260

Spain, Civil War Medal 1873-74, 4 clasps, Vera, San Marcos y San Marcial, Irun, Peňa Plata; **Campaigns of 1875-76 Medals** (2), one with 4 narrow clasps Treviňo, Pamplona, Oria, Elgueta, the other from different dies and in finer silver with 3 wide clasps Cantavieja, Oria, Elgueta, *very fine and better* (3) £150-200

‡1261

Spain, Miscellaneous Orders, Medals and Decorations (13), comprising: Order of Charles III, Knight's breast badge, in gilt and enamels; Order of St. Hermengildo, Knight's breast badge, in gilt and enamels; Order of Military Merit, Pensioner's breast badge, 1889-1931 type, in silver-gilt and enamels; Order of St. Raymond of Peňafort, gold medal, in silver-gilt; War Cross, other ranks issue, in gilt and silvered gilt; Africa Campaigns 1860; Cuban Volunteers 1873; Zaragoza Centenary 1908, in silver; Centenary of the Constitution of 1812, in bronze; Moroccan Campaign 1916, in silver; Moroccan Peace 1927; Blue Division Medal 1943; Pensioner's Faithful Service Cross for Sub Officials 1958, in gilt and enamels, *very fine or better* (13)

‡1262

*Sweden, Order of the Sword, Commander's neck badge, in gold and enamels, 76 x 55mm, minor enamel cracks, good very fine £500-700

1263

*Thailand, Order of the Crown, Grand Cross (Special Grade) set of insignia, comprising sash badge, in silver and enamels, the silver jewel cut, 92 x 57mm and breast star, in silver and enamels, the centre diamond set, with gilt reverse centre and gold retaining pin (this with water pot hallmark on reverse), 90mm, in case of issue, with maker's name in Thai on inside of lid, about extremely fine, with sash (2) £900-1,100

1264

Thailand, Order of the Crown, type 2, Grand Cross (Special Grade), Grand Cross breast star, reverse of retaining pin with Thai maker's mark and hallmark, in silver, gilt and enamels, the centre diamond-set, 90mm, *extremely fine*£400-600

1265

Thailand, Order of the Crown, type 2, various insignia, comprising Second Class set comprising neck badge and breast star, Lady's Second Class set comprising breast badge and breast star, Third Class neck badge, Lady's Third Class breast badge, Fourth Class breast badge, Fifth Class breast badge and Lady's Fifth Class breast badge, all with Thai maker's marks, the Fourth Class with crown suspension detached, good very fine or better (9)

1266

*Thailand, Order of the White Elephant, Grand Cross (Special Grade) set of insignia, comprising sash badge, in silver, gilt and enamels, 131 x 73mm, and breast star, in silver, gilt and enamels, (retaining pin stamped 40/1), 94.5mm, in case of issue, with maker's name in Thai on inside of lid, extremely fine (2)

£700-900

1267

*Thailand, Order of the White Elephant, Lady's issue, Grand Cross (Special Grade) set of insignia, comprising sash badge, in silver, gilt and enamels, 92 x 48mm, and breast star, this with Thai hall mark on reverse of retaining pin, in silver, gilt and enamels, 64.5mm, in case of issue, with maker's name in Thai on inside of lid, slight chipping to elephants on badge, good very fine or better, with sash
£600-800

1268

Thailand, Order of the White Elephant, Second Class set of insignia, comprising neck badge, 89 x 51mm and breast star, 78mm, in silver, gilt and enamels, reverse of badge and retaining pin on star with Thai marks, *in case of issue, with maker's name in Thai on inside of lid, extremely fine* (2) £180-220

1269

Thailand, Order of the White Elephant, Lady's Third Class breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, 78 x 46mm, reverse suspension with impressed Thai marks and number 30, in case of issue, with Thai maker's mark on inside of lid, extremely fine £100-150

Thailand, Order of the White Elephant, various insignia (7), comprising, Lady's Third Class breast badges (2), Fourth Class breast badge, Lady's Fourth Class breast badge, Lady's Fifth Class Breast badge and Silver Medal of the Order, *all but the last with Thai maker's marks, good very fine or better* (7)
£200-300

1271

*Thailand, Great War Victory Medal, in bronze, the official general issue of fine style, with ear of Naraibanluechai (Thai God of War) exposed, 36mm, very fine and rare
£800-1,000

1272

Thailand: Miscellaneous Medals (6), Freeman Safeguarding Medal, Second Class, Second Category, Chai Medals (4), 1921, 1945 (2), 1953, and East Asia Home Front Medal; together with **Germany, Saxony**, Friedrich August Medal, in bronze and Netherlands, Decoration for Order and Peace, 3 clasps, 1947, 1948, 1949, *very fine or better* (8) £100-150

‡1273

Turkey, Order of the Medjidjie, Fifth Class breast badge, European-made, in silver, with silver, gold and enamelled centre, 51mm, *very fine*

‡1274

*Turkey, Bosnian Campaign Medal, AH 1263 (1846), in silver, 36.5mm, good very fine

£250-300

1275

U.S.A., Legion of Merit, Officer's breast badge, in gilt and enamels, extremely fine, with related fitment and two 'dog tags' inscribed to **Eugene D. Taber** as well as a copy of Descendants of Thomas, son of Philip Taber, Massachusetts, 1924; **Bronze Star,** reverse impressed (**Jack D. Cates**), in case of issue, extremely fine, with related fitment; **Purple Heart and Bronze Star Trio** awarded to **Ralph S. Arvizo**, comprising Purple Heart, Bronze Star with oak leaf on riband and Army Good Conduct Medal, all named, good very fine or better; and an old copy of a Naval type 1 Medal of Honor, very fine (6)

047 959 COLONEL EUGENE D. TABER served as a Finance Officer at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana and also in Vietnam.

1276

Yugoslavia, Order of the People's Army, Third Class breast star, in silver, with gilt and enamelled centre, 69mm; Order of Military Merit, Third Class breast star, in silver, with silver, gilt and enamelled centre, 65.5mm, *good very fine or better;* Order of Service to the People, Third Class breast star, in silver (reverse impressed 17425), *suspension pin crudely resoldered, otherwise very fine* (3) £100-150

1277

Korean War, United Nations Medals (3), United States issue, Greek issue and South Korean issue, *first in box of issue, with related fitments, generally extremely fine* (3) £40-60

‡1278

Miscellaneous World Orders, Medals and Decorations (7), comprising: Belgium, Order of Leopold II, Knight's breast badge, in silver with enamelled centre and silver palm on riband, and Military Cross First Class, in silver-gilt and black enamel; Liechtenstein, Golden Jubilee commemorative, 1908; Luxembourg, Order of the Oaken Crown, Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels; Montenegro, Golden Jubilee commemorative, 1910; Netherlands, Order of Orange-Nassau, Military Division, Knight's breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels; Poland, Cross of Valour 1920 (3407); and Soviet Union, Order of the Red Banner of Labour, type 4 [1950s version], no. 191497, 5-sided suspension 'semi-long oval' type, in silver, silver-gilt and enamels, first and sixth chipped, generally very fine or better (8)

‡1279

Miscellaneous World Orders, Medals and Decorations (16), comprising: CHILE, Silver Star for the Pacific War 1879-80, enamel lacking and Silver Star for the Lima Campaign, in silver and blue enamel, chipped; MANCHUKUO, National Foundation Medal, 1933; PERSIA, Order of the Lion and the Sun, Third Class neck badge, in silver and enamels, enamel in three of the angles lacking; U.S.A., a group of five awarded to Charles Joseph Almaner, comprising Naval Good Conduct Medal with second award clasp and silver star, American Defence Medal with Fleet clasp, European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with two bronze stars, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with one silver and four bronze stars, and World War 2 Victory Medal; U.S.A., an unnamed group of Five: Occupation Service, China Service, National Defense, Korean Service with two bronze stars, UN Korea; and U.S.A., Mexican Service Medal (Army), unnumbered, and an uncertain Veteran's Organisation medal, mostly very fine or better (16)







Starting at 3.00 pm

BRITISH CAMPAIGN MEDALS

1280

*Naval General Service 1793-1840, 3 clasps, Egypt, Trafalgar, Basque Roads (S. Hilton, Master's Mate), a few very light marks, extremely fine £8,000-12,000

Roll confirms as Midshipman, H.M.S. *Pearl* for Egypt and as Master's Mate, H.M.S. *Minotaur* for Trafalgar. For Basque Roads Hilton is confirmed as 'verified aboard but not on roll' (Lieutenant, H.M.S. *Revenge*). O'Byrne's entry for Hilton further confirms his presence at Basque Roads.

COMMANDER STEPHEN HILTON was born in 1785, joining the Navy in 1795 as a Third Class Volunteer aboard H.M.S. *Bristol* lying at Chatham. In 1796 he transferred to the *Grana*, which had been a captured Spanish sixth rate, and stayed in her until January 1798. In August 1799 he went to the Mediterranean aboard H.M.S. *Pearl*, serving on various missions in the Toulon area as well as during the Egyptian Campaign of 1801. After a spell on the home station he was appointed to the *Minotaur* as Master's Mate and fought at the Battle of Trafalgar. Promoted Lieutenant in January 1806 he transferred to H.M.S. *Revenge* and in September he participated in the capture of four heavy French frigates off Rochefort by Sir Samuel Hood's Squadron. As previously noted he was also present at the action in Basque Roads in April 1809, and was additionally at the Siege of Flushing on which occasion he was slightly wounded by an explosion when sent ashore with eighty men.

Between 1812 and 1814 he served in H.M.S. *Leopard* in the Mediterranean and off the coast of Spain, supplying the army during the closing stages of the Peninsular War. He was placed on half-pay in 1817, was promoted Commander in 1839 and died in 1872.

Ex 'Jubilee' Collection, Glendining's, 27 May 1992, lot 127.

1281

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Barrosa (T. Brotherwood, R. Arty. Drivers), minor contact marks, good very fine

£600-800

Roll confirms as Pte. Thomas *Brotherhood*, 4th R.A. (ex Glendining auction, 1980).

1282

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Sahagun & Benevente (T.B. Davis, Asst. Surgn. 7th Lt. Drags.), cleaned, about very fine £1,500-2,000

Roll confirms, noting that Davis's claim for the Orthes clasp was disallowed.

Assistant Surgeon Thomas B. Davis (or Davies) was appointed to the Derbyshire Militia before being commissioned as Assistant Surgeon with the 7th Light Dragoons on 22 September 1808. He served in the Peninsula for a brief but busy two months from 25 October to 24 December 1808, with troops marching to join Sir John Moore and taking part in Lord Paget's attack on French cavalry before being present at Benevente. He resigned on 22 May 1810.

1283

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Corunna (J. Graham, M.D. Hospl. Mate, 79th Foot.), a well-worn medal showing traces of re-mounting and restoration of the original suspension, generally fine £1,400-1,800

Roll confirms (Medical Department).

JOHN GRAHAM, born in 1783, was appointed Hospital Mate on 19 April 1808 and Apothecary on 31 August 1808. He also served in the West Indies and obtained an M.D. from Marischal College, Aberdeen in 1815, having received attestations from two doctors in Barbados. He died on 17 December 1862.

1284

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Nive (James Thorpe, 84th Foot), very fine

£600-800

Roll confirms (ex Glendining auction, 1956, Seaby, 1973 and J.B. Hayward, 1974).

JAMES THORPE was born at Halifax and enlisted on 1 September, 1807. He was wounded in the shoulder on 10th December 1813 and discharged as unfit, 25th August 1814. He is known to have lived until at least 1852, when his pension was increased to 9d. per day.

1285

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 2 clasps, Vimiera, Fuentes d'Onor (Thos. Batt, Asst. Surgn. 2nd Foot), polished in the past, very fine £1,500-2,000

Roll confirms.

SURGEON THOMAS BATT was born in 1782 and entered the Service in December 1805 before joining the Expedition to Hanover. He became Assistant Surgeon to the 99th Foot in April 1806, to the 44th Foot in May and to the 67th Foot in October. He transferred to the 2nd Foot in November 1807 and was present at the Battle of Vimiera, during the retreat to Corunna and at the passage of the Douro. His claim for the Talavera clasp was disallowed due to illness and Regimental records relate that his servant disappeared near Orense with his mule and baggage, never to be heard of again.

Batt accompanied the expedition to Walcheren in 1809, returning to the Penisula where he was present at the Battle of Fuentes d'Onor (his clasp being one of only two to the 2nd Foot). Subsequently he was employed with the 5th Royal Veteran Battalion and as Surgeon to the 2nd Battalion, 7th Foot (July 1813). He was placed on half-pay in February 1816 and died in Brecon on 13 January 1848.



*Military General Service 1793-1814, 2 clasps, Pyrenees, Toulouse (Thos. Findley, Deputy Purveyor), one or two minor rim bruises, good very fine £1,800-2,200

Roll confirms (Medical Department); ex Gaskell Collection, 1911 and Sotheby's auction, 1 April 1981, lot 3.

THOMAS FINDLEY was born on 9 January 1778, was appointed Deputy Purveyor 10 March 1814, retired on half pay 25 October 1814 and died in 1867.

1287

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 2 clasps, Nivelle, Nive (J. Taylor, Serjt. 84th Foot.), swivel slack and with a couple of rim bruises, good fine £1,000-1,200

Roll confirms; ex Gaskell Collection, 1911, Baldwin, 1948, Phillips Collection, 1965 and Midland Medals.

JOSEPH TAYLOR was born at High Wickham, Bucks. and attested at Dublin to serve as a Private with the 84th on 28 April 1808. He was possibly a volunteer from the 9th Garrison Battalion and his former trade was as a sawyer. He was discharged in 1815.

1288

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 3 clasps, Maida, Talavera, Busaco (T. Butler, Serjt. 61st Foot), rim knock beside the date on reverse, otherwise extremely fine £1,500-2,000

Roll confirms.

THOMAS BUTLER was born near Banbury and enlisted at the age of 18. He served in the 61st Regiment from 4 March 1800 to 24 October 1814, being discharged at Dundalk owing to bad health. He was wounded at the Battle of Talavera, the Lt. Col. of the 2nd Battalion 61st Regt. writing 'I hereby certify that the [above mentioned] man was wounded in the leg when taken prisoner by the enemy at the Battle of Talavera, that in effecting his escape he received a severe fall which occasioned the bursting of a blood vessel. His zeal and fidelity on all occasions has been most uniform'.

1289

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 3 clasps, Talavera, Salamanca, Vittoria (W. Howarth, R. Arty. Drivers.), has been polished and with several edge and rim marks, very fine to good very fine £800-1,200

Roll confirms; also entitled to Waterloo Medal (Major Turner's A Troop). Ex Glendining auction, 1964.

1290

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 4 clasps, Busaco, Albuhera, Vittoria, Nivelle (E. Graham, Asst. Surgn. 31st Foot), edge bruise, otherwise very fine £1,800-2,200

Roll confirms.

EDWARD SMITH GRAHAM (known as Edward Graham prior to 1825) was appointed a Hospital Mate, General Service, on 21 December 1809, and as Assistant Surgeon to the 31st Foot on 18 October 1810. He served in the Peninsula from January 1810 to the end of the war, including the battles of Busaco, Albuhera, Vittoria, Pyrenees, and Nivelle. He was with the detachment of the 31st Foot on board the unfortunate East Indiaman Kent, which was burnt in the Bay of Biscay on 1 March 1825. Shortly after this incident, in September 1825, Graham was appointed as Surgeon to the 75th Foot, having qualified as M.D. at St Andrew's the previous year. He transferred as Surgeon to the 4th Dragoons in July 1841, and retired on half pay in October 1846.

Ex Spink auction 41, 13 December 1984, lot 12 and Col. David Riddick Collection, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 22 September 2006, lot 146.

1291

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 4 clasps, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes, Toulouse (J.O. Lloyd, Vol. 27th & Ensn. 74th Foot), good fine to very fine £2,000-2,500

Both Regimental rolls confirm; ex Spink, 1959.

JOHN ORMSBY LLOYD was a Volunteer with the Inniskilling Fusiliers before becoming an Ensign with the 74th Foot on 25 November 1813 on the resignation of Vice-Ensign Anderson. About 4% of new junior officers in Wellington's army were 'gentlemen volunteers' who might be promoted in the field when a vacancy became available or for forlorn hope enterprises.

1292

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 4 clasps, Albuhera, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Toulouse (W. Wilkinson, Arty. Driver), several rim knocks, about very fine

Roll confirms; ex Seaby, 1976.

1293

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 6 clasps, Talavera, Badajoz, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Orthes, Toulouse (W. Clarke, Serjeant, 14th Light Dragoons.), good fine £1,500-2,000

Roll confirms, noting that the Toulouse clasp is not credited in Regimental records.

Walter Clarke, born at Nettlebed, Oxfordshire, enlisted on 17 May 1801 at the age of 18. He became a Corporal on 30 April 1809 and Sergeant, 29 January 1812. He was discharged with a pension of 1/- per day on 29 February 1816 after being wounded.



*Military General Service 1793-1814, 6 clasps, Corunna, Busaco, Fuentes d'Onor, Salamanca, Pyrenees, Toulouse (John Harley, Serjt. 79th Foot.), very fine; together with an unnamed 79th Foot Regimental Merit Medal in bronze, fair to fine (2) £1,800-2,200

Roll confirms. Born in Perth, JOHN HARLEY enlisted in the Cameron Highlanders at Edinburgh on 8 February 1805. He served in the Walcheren Expedition, 1809 including the Siege of Flushing. His record of service suggests that he was also entitled to clasps for Nive and Nivelle although these were not claimed. He also served in Flanders and France between 1815 and 1818, was present at the Battle of Waterloo and received the Waterloo Medal (No. 6 Company, listed as Private).

1295

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 8 clasps, Ciudad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes, Toulouse (W. Deacon, 95th Foot), very fine to good very fine £2,000-2,500

Roll confirms (William Deacon); ex Glendining auctions, 1964 & 1966.

1296

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 8 clasps, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes, Toulouse (John Lewers, 94th Foot.), has been polished and with several edge bruises, very fine £1,500-2,000

Roll confirms (as *Levers* by Mullen, *Lewars* by Foster). Ex Baldwin, 1942, Glendining auction, 1976, London Stamp Exchange, 1986, Liverpool Medal Co., 1987.

1297

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 10 clasps, Talavera, Busaco, Fuentes d'Onor, Ciudad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Orthes, Toulouse (Saml. Langsdale, 88th Foot.), very fine £2,400-2,800

Roll confirms; ex Clarke, 1912, Armoury, 1984, Spink, 1988.

1298

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 10 clasps, Busaco, Fuentes d'Onor, Ciudad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes (John Walsh, 88th Foot), about extremely fine £2,400-2,800

Roll confirms. Sold by Spink in 1886 and subsequently ex Glendining auctions of 21 December 1906, 19 May 1920 (W.E. Gray Collection, lot 142a), 27 January 1931 and 19 February 1953 (lot 120). Walsh appears also to have received an 88th Foot silver prize medal for the best marksman in 1816 (see Balmer R520, illustrated).

1299

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 11 clasps, Busaco, Albuhera, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, St. Sebastian, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes, Toulouse (Henry Gott, 27th Foot), several edge marks including pawnbroker's mark, cleaned, very fine £3,000-4,000

Roll confirms (3rd Battalion, Captain Mair's Company). Mullen states that an 8 clasp medal to Gott is held by the Regimental Museum.

HENRY GOTT (whose name also appears as 'Gort') joined the Regiment as a boy at Edinburgh from Belfast (although there is no detailed recruitment entry). Offered with service details from the Regimental Muster Rolls which indicate his discharge on 4 June 1817.

1300

*Military General Service 1793-1814, 11 clasps, Corunna, Busaco, Fuentes d'Onor, Ciudad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Orthes, Toulouse (W. Mercer, Arty. Driver.), very fine £2,800-3,200

Roll confirms but lists the 11 clasps as Fuentes d'Onor, Ciudad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Salamanca, Vittoria, Pyrenees, San Sebastian, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes and Toulouse. Ex Spink, 1977.

1301

*Waterloo, 1815 (Capt. Henry Andrews, 12th Reg. Light Dragoons), fitted with later swivel suspension of Naval LSGC 'wide suspension' type, good very fine £2,500-3,000

Roll confirms.

CAPTAIN HENRY ANDREWS retired on half pay in January, 1828 and became Aide-de-Camp to Major General Sir Richard Bourke, Governor of Cape Colony. Andrews was briefly restored to full pay when he transferred to the 3rd Light Dragoons as Major in 1837 but he died in Bengal the following year.



*Waterloo, 1815 (Ensign J. Bowlby, 3rd Batt 14th Reg. Foot.), original steel clip additionally fitted with contemporary straight bar swivel suspension, very fine £1,800-2,200

Roll confirms as J. Rowlby, Captain Henry Hill's Company.

JOSEPH BOWLBY was born at Houghton-le-Spring, Co. Durham, in 1797 and was appointed Ensign in the 14th Foot in November, 1814. After Waterloo he remained in France and was present at the storming of Cambrai. As a Lieutenant he transferred to the 53rd (1822), 6th (1824) and 90th (1825). He became a Captain with the 90th, serving in the Ionian Islands and East Indies. Under his command one wing of the regiment was shipwrecked at Sicily during the voyage home in 1829, fortunately without the loss of personnel or equipment.

1303

*Waterloo, 1815 (Assist. Surg. W.G. Burrell 1st Batt. 79th Reg. Foot.), fitted with replacement clip in alloy and later split ring for suspension, some surface marks, very fine £2,500-3,000

WILLIAM GEORGE BURRELL became a Medical Cadet on 17 May 1808 and was appointed Assistant Surgeon to the 63rd Foot in July 1809, joining the expedition to the Walcheren. In December 1809 he transferred to the 79th Foot, and qualified as M.D. at Glasgow in 1813. He served with the 79th in the Peninsula and at Waterloo, and was appointed as Surgeon to the 5th Foot in January 1816. He transferred again to the 65th Foot in June 1816 with whom he served during the Pindari war of 1817-19 (the 65th taking a prominent part in the operations at Kirkee and Poona). Surgeon Burrell died on 19 May 1820 whilst on passage from India to England.

Ex Colonel David Riddick Collection, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 22 September 2006, lot 152.

1304

*Waterloo, 1815 (Andrew Cockran, Royal Artill. Drivers.), with unofficial but contemporary suspension, good fine to very fine and toned £800-1,000

Roll confirms; Captain W.H. Humphrey's H Troop. Cockran enlisted in 1807, giving his trade as a cotton spinner. Entitled to the M.G.S. with 6 clasps, he died in 1862.

Ex American Numismatic Society Collection (part 1), 24 May 2006, lot 39.

1305

*Waterloo, 1815 (Edward Gardiner, 2nd Batt. 73rd Reg. Foot.), with old replacement steel clip and plain ring suspension, sometime polished, fine £900-1,100

Roll confirms (Captain M. Carroll's Company). Gardiner was wounded in action at either Quatre Bras or Waterloo and was invalided home; he later transferred to the 1^{st} Battalion and then to 83^{rd} Foot (25 May 1821); he died in 1862.

1306

*Waterloo, 1815 (Corp. Thomas Henshaw, Royal Artill. Drivers.), steel clip and split ring suspension, several edge bruises, good fine £800-1,000

Roll confirms as Corporal Thomas Henshall, Major Turner's A Troop, No 6 Company.

THOMAS HENSHAW /HENSHALL was born at Sandwich, Cheshire in 1781. He enlisted in the Royal Artillery Drivers in October, 1799 and was discharged in March 1816 'on account of the reduction of the regiment'. Also entitled to the Military General Service medal with 3 clasps (for Roleia, Vimiera and Corunna).

1307

*Waterloo, 1815 (James Holt, Shoeing Smith Royal Artillery Drivers), edge rather bruised and with possible trace of pin mounting, steel clip suspension with later plain ring, has been cleaned, about very fine £1,000-1,200

Roll confirms (F Troop, under Captain Henry Lane).

1308

*Waterloo, 1815 (John Howorth, Royal Artillery Drivers.), with steel clip suspension (this slightly loose) and later ring, very fine £1,000-1,200

Roll confirms (Private, D Troop, under Captain G.H. Grimes).

JOHN HOWORTH, from Rosendale, Lancashire, joined the Royal Artillery in 1812. Before Waterloo he served in Holland as well as in the Peninsula, being entitled to a two-clasp MGS for Vittoria and San Sebastian. During the Battle of Waterloo he was wounded in the hand by a shell splinter and lost a finger.

His name appears on the Chelsea Pension Register of 1 January 1856 and he attended the unveiling of the Wellington Memorial in Manchester in August of the same year.

Ex John Darwent Collection, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 2 April 2004, lot 32.

*Waterloo, 1815 (William May. 11th Reg. Light Dragoons.), steel clip and split ring suspension, two edge bruises, otherwise very fine or better £1,000-1,200

Roll confirms (Private William May, Captain John Jenkin's Troop). Subsequently in India and present at Bhurtpoor, May died in hospital at Cawnpore in 1826

1310

*Waterloo, 1815 (Serjeant Peter Poxon. 2nd Batt. Grenad. Guards.), fitted with unofficial loop and straight bar suspension, very fine £1,200-1,500

Roll confirms (Lt. Col. Colquett's Company).

1311

*Waterloo 1815 (Thomas Reynolds 51st Reg. Light Infantry), brooch-mounted on obverse and with modern replacement suspension, fair, reverse better

Roll confirms.

1312

*Waterloo, 1815 (Assist. Surg. John Riach, 2nd Batt 73rd Reg. Foot.), I of surname corrected from E, steel clip and split ring suspension, some contact wear but very fine or better £1,500,2,000

Roll confirms.

JOHN RIACH was born in Perth, 1790. Despite losing the sight of one eye during the course of his duties he pursued his career as an Army Surgeon and joined the 19th Lancers in 1817. Offered with service details and notes.

1313

*Waterloo, 1815 (A. Shannan, Assist. Surg. 3rd Batt. 14th Reg. Foot.), steel clip and ring suspension, minor surface marks but generally good very fine £2,000-2,500

Roll confirms (as Alexander *Shannon*). Offered with some service details, and notes regarding Shannan / Shannon, who died at Cawnpore on 19 June 1817.

1314

*Waterloo 1815 (Capt. Rich. H. Wigston. 2nd Batt. 3rd Reg. Guards), with clip and considerable contact wear, better than fine £3,000-3,500

Roll confirms; employed on Baggage Guard at the village of Waterloo, 18 June 1815.

1315

*An Army of India and Military General Service Pair awarded to Sergeant Alexander Liston, 94th Foot, comprising:
Army of India 1799-1826, short hyphen, 3 clasps, Asseerghur, Argaum, Gawilghur (Corpl A. Liston, 94th Foot.), good fine
Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Fuentes d'Onor, with the rank 'Sergeant' neatly engraved before the name and Regiment, the details of which are correctly and officially impressed (Sergeant Alexr. Liston, 94th Foot.), scratched in reverse field, otherwise good very fine (2)

£7,000-9,000

ALEXANDER LISTON was born in the Parish of Westchurch, Edinburgh, *circa* 1775 and enlisted in the 94th Regiment of Foot on 1 December 1793. He served in the Deccan Campaign of 1803 with the '94th Scotch Brigade', being present at the capture of Asseerghur, Arthur Wellesley's decisive victory over the Mahrattas at Argaum, and at the storming of Gawilghur.

Liston was promoted to Sergeant during 1806. In May 1811 he was again serving under Wellington in the Peninsula, at the Battle of Fuentes d'Onor. Liston was transferred to the 2nd Garrison Battalion in May 1815 and was discharged, having been 'worn out in the Service', in October 1816. He was then described as forty-one years of age, five feet eleven inches in height, with brown hair and blue eyes. His trade was given as 'Upholsterer'.

Ex Brian Ritchie Collection, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 2 March 2005, lot 3.

1316

*Military General Service and Waterloo Pair awarded to Private William Brillard, comprising:

Military General Service 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Orthes (William Brillard, 7th Light Dragoons.), contact wear, about very fine;

Waterloo, 1815 (William Brilliard, 7th Regiment Hussars.), steel clip and plain ring suspension, also with contact wear, fine to good fine (2)

£2,000-2,500

Both rolls confirm the name as 'Brillard'; M.G.S. ex Baldwin, 1950 and the pair also ex Baldwin, 1955.

*Military General Service and Waterloo Pair awarded to Samuel Barwick Bruce, a Surgeon and Apothecary who was reputed also to have served at sea under Nelson, comprising:

Military General Service 1793-1814, 2 clasps, Martinique, Guadaloupe (Saml. B. Bruce, Act. Apothy. to the Forces.); Waterloo 1815, skimmed and renamed in contemporary style (Samuel Barwick Bruce. Staff Surgeon.),

M.G.S. good very fine, Waterloo fitted with silver clip and straight bar suspension and about very fine, the pair mounted for wearing on a contemporary silver suspension brooch with foliate engraving (2) £2,000-3,000

Mullen's roll confirms the M.G.S. while The Waterloo Roll Call and Johnston's roll both confirm the Waterloo Medal.

SAMUEL BARWICK BRUCE (1786-1852) studied in Barbados (under Barwick Bruce, probably his father or another relative) and entered the Medical Department as Hospital Mate on 19 July 1804. According to Dalton's *The Waterloo Roll Call*, he 'saw some of his earliest service afloat under Lord Nelson in 1805.' Subsequently he served at St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. John, Fort Dessaix, Martinique, and Guadeloupe. He went to the Peninsula in 1813, became a Member of the Royal College of Surgeons in 1814, and embarked for North America where he served under Sir Edward Packenham at the attack on New Orleans, and at Fort Bowyer.

He joined the army in the Netherlands as a Surgeon to the Forces in May, 1815 and was present both at Waterloo and at the capture of Paris, in which city he remained on duty until January, 1816. He objected to being placed on half pay and finally retired in 1833.

Offered with further research details, including a transcript from a 1902 Memorial tablet to Samuel Barwick Bruce and his descendants in Ripon Cathedral.

1318

*Military General Service and Waterloo Pair awarded to James Staples, comprising:

Military General Service 1793-1814, 2 clasps, Orthes, Toulouse (James Staples, 7th Light Dragoons.), a few marks, very fine; Waterloo, 1815 (James Staples, 7th Regiment Hussars.), steel clip and split ring suspension, about very fine (2) £2,500-3,000

Rolls confirm; name stated as Joseph Staples by Mullen.

JAMES STAPLES was born in the Parish of St. Michael's, near Bath, and enlisted at the age of eighteen in July 1809. He was wounded by gunshot at Waterloo.

The Times of 24 October 1872 included the following biography entitled: A Waterloo Veteran:

'There is now living in one of St. Bartholomew's Almshouses, at Newbury, a Waterloo veteran, named James Staples, who has nearly attained his 84th year. He was engaged in the Peninsular War, and was present at the defeat of Marshal Soult at Orthes on the 27th of February 1814, and also at Toulouse on the 10th of April following. At Waterloo he fought with the 7th Hussars, the cavalry brigade being commanded by the Marquis of Anglesea. He was in that battle struck in the right shoulder with a bullet which penetrated to his chest, from the left side of which it was extracted. He was raised to the rank of Corporal, but on being wounded left the Army, in which he served 11 years. On his return to Newbury, his native town, he obtained employment at the Iron foundry of Messrs. Plant and Pain, where he worked for 40 years.'

Ex Seaby, 1964, Glendining, 1976, Hall, 1983 and Dix, Noonan & Webb, 8 December 1994, lot 90.

1319

*Military General Service and Waterloo Pair awarded to Hugh Williams, comprising:

Military General Service 1793-1814, 4 clasps, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Nive, Orthes (H. Williams, 32nd Foot), very fine, somewhat scuffed; Waterloo, 1815, partially renamed (H Williams. ----, 1st Batt. 32nd Foot), name mostly engraved and a line added to the space before (impressed) unit, silver clip and straight bar suspension, fine but heavily scuffed (2) £1,200-1,500

Rolls confirm (Captain Henry Ross Lewin's Company at Waterloo).

HUGH WILLIAMS was born near Falmouth and enlisted in 1810 at the age of 15. He was discharged in 1827 as a result of a disability to his hand, caused either by an insect sting or by lead poisoning.

1320

*A Waterloo and Army of India Pair, together with an Army Long Service Medal awarded to the recipient's son: Waterloo 1815 (James Connor, 11th Reg. Light Dragoons.), unofficial clip and silver wire suspension, good fine;

Army of India 1799-1826, short hyphen, 1 clasp, Bhurtpoor (J. Connor, 11th Lt. Dragns.), *good fine to very fine;* together with Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (Victoria) (Troop. Sergt. Major. James Connor. 11th P.A.O.Hussars.), *with unofficial contemporary straight bar suspension, good fine* (3)

Waterloo roll confirms as James Connors, Captain John Jenkin's Troop; Army of India roll also confirms.

JAMES CONNOR (Senior) enlisted at the age of 19 in 1811. He was promoted Corporal, 11 June 1816 and discharged in 1822, whereupon he immediately re-enlisted as a Private. His son JAMES CONNOR (Junior) attested at Cawnpore in 1827 aged 14. His L.S.G.C., issued on 10 July 1855, represents his only medal entitlement.

‡1321

*St. Jean d' Acre Medal 1840, in silver, as awarded to junior officers, with straight bar suspension, about extremely fine and toned



*A Sutlej, India and Crimea Group awarded to Dr. John Robert Taylor, C.B., Inspector General of Hospitals: Four:

Sutlej Campaign 1845-46, rev, Ferozeshuhur, 1 clasp, Sobraon, impressed (Surgⁿ John R: Taylor 29th Reg^t);

India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Pegu, impressed (Surg^{n.} J.R. Taylor. 80th Reg^{t.});

Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol, unnamed as issued;

Turkish Crimea 1855-56, Sardinian issue, unnamed, all sometime polished, generally very fine (4)

£800-1,000

JOHN ROBERT TAYLOR served in Ireland as an Assistant Surgeon before 1837. In 1838 he was in charge of wounded in Canada before serving at Chambly with the 1st Dragoon Guards. In 1842 he joined the 29th in India as Surgeon, exchanging to the 80th Foot after the Sutlej Campaign.

He became a 1st Class Staff Surgeon and Principal Medical Officer at Chatham before going to the Crimea. Gazetted Deputy Inspector General in 1855, he was awarded the C.B. in 1856 and became Inspector General, 1858. On returning to England he resumed the post of Principal Medical Officer at Chatham and was appointed an Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty. His final posting was to Aldershot in 1862.

1323

An India Long Service Pair awarded to Assistant Apothecary and Assistant Surgeon Edwin Weston: India General Service 1854-95, 2 clasps, Burma 1885-7, Burma 1887-89 (Ass^{t.} Apothy. E. Weston S.M.D.); Army Long Service and Good Conduct (Edward VII) (1st Cl. Ass^{tt.} Surg^{n.} E. Weston I.S.M.D.), both engraved in running script, very fine and better (2)

£300-350

Offered with service details.

1324

Baltic 1854, engraved in italic capitals **(Lieut. C. S. Dunbar. R.N. *H.M.S. Amphion.)**, surface marks, better than very fine; together with **Italy**, Independence Medal, 1 clasp 1866, minor scratch on reverse, about extremely fine (2) £300-500

Both ex Finan and Co. auction, 2004, when sold with other medals awarded to the recipient's son and grandson.

Mention in Despatches: London Gazette: 29 September 1846 (Captain Mundy's despatches for the expedition against the Sultan of Borneo).

CHARLES SYDNEY DUNBAR entered the Royal Navy in 1832, serving aboard the steam-vessel *H.M.S. Lizaard*, the *Rodney and Fox* mainly in the Mediterranean station. He was commissioned Lieutenant in July 1844 and was appointed to Sir Thomas Cochrane's flagship the *Agincourt*, transferring to the *Iris* where he served in the Borneo expedition in 1846. On 1 April 1847 he was dismissed his ship and placed at the bottom of the list by sentence of Court Martial for "Intoxication; constant inaccuracy in his navigation and general carelessness about his duty." He served in the *Amphion* on the Baltic station during the Crimea war. In 1858 he joined the *Duke of Wellington*. Following a report by Admiral Sir George Seymour concerning his "scandalous behaviour" on 14 December 1858, he was dismissed the service on the 17th. In June 1859 he wrote a letter to Lord Derby representing himself as still a Lieutenant in the Navy on half pay. On 13 March 1863 he was refused re-entry by the Board of Admiralty. It is possible that he received the Italian Independence medal as a British volunteer but there is no documentation to confirm this. (Offered with two pencil drawings by W. H. H. West R.M. depicting Borasmund and the Russian forts from the sea, an unsigned pencil drawing of a naval officer (possibly Dunbar) and photocopied service papers.)

1325

Baltic 1854, unnamed as issued, scuffed, better than very fine

£100-150

1326

Baltic and Crimea Medals awarded to Lieutenant Anthony Ashley-Cooper, Royal Navy, later 8th Earl of Shaftesbury: Two Groups of Three, comprising:

- A) Baltic 1854 (Lord Ashley, Lieut. H.M.S. Pembroke), Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (Lord Ashley, Mate, H.M.S. Britannia) and Turkish Crimea, Sardinian issue, a striking of superior quality by Hunt and Roskell (Lord Ashley Mate, H.M.S. Britannia.), all neatly engraved in matching upright serif capitals and with riband brooches for wearing, good very fine;
- B) Baltic 1854 (Anthony Ashley. Mate, H.M.S. Britanniar) Crimea 1854-56, three clasps, Alma, Inkermann, Sebastopol (Anthony Ashley. Mate, H.M.S. Britanniar) and Turkish Crimea, British issue (Lieut. Anthony Ashley. H.M.S. Britannia.), first two engraved in matching black-enamelled italicised capitals, third in a different, plainer style, about very fine to good very fine;

together with two high quality miniature Baltic medals, both with riband brooches and extremely fine (8)

£1,500-2,000

Anthony Ashley Cooper was born in 1831, eldest son of the noted reformer, the 7^{th} Earl of Shaftesbury. He joined the Navy in 1848 and served in the Baltic Campaign and at the blockade of Sebastopol. In 1856 he was attached to Earl Granville's special embassy to Moscow. He was elected M.P. for Hull, 1857-59 and Cricklade, 1859-65. He succeeded his father to the Earldom on 1 October 1885. Six months later he shot himself while riding in a cab in Regent Street.

Offered with photocopied research and a copy of Georgina Battiscombe's *Shaftesbury the Great Reformer,* Boston, 1975, in which the recipient is prominently mentioned.

1327

A Crimea and Mutiny Trio awarded to Joseph Culverwell, 97th Foot, comprising: Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol, depot impressed (3610 Joseph Culverwell. 97. Regt.); Indian Mutiny 1857-59, 1 clasp, Lucknow (Josh. Culverwell. 97th Regt.);

Turkish Crimea, British issue, unnamed,

all with edge bruises and have been harshly cleaned, good fine to very fine (3)

£400-500

Mutiny medal: roll confirms.



A Crimea Pair:

Crimea 1854-56, without clasp, engraved in capitals (William P. Crompton), polished, very fine;

Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue, unnamed, fitted with contemporary unofficial pinned suspender and ring, very fine (2)

£150-200

WILLIAM CROMPTON was born in 1837, the son of a Shropshire Surgeon. During the Crimean War he served as a Dispenser of Medicines and later emigrated to Australia, sailing aboard the S.S. *Great Britain* in 1857. He married Mary Anne Benson in 1858 and is listed in 1866 as a pawnbroker living in Crown Street, Sydney.

Ex Col. D.G.B. Riddick Collection (part II), Dix, Noonan & Webb, 6 December 2006, lot 1 (when offered with a daguerreotype portrait).

1329

*Indian Mutiny 1857-59, 1 clasp, Delhi (App^{ce.} D.E. Young, att^{d. To} 9th Lancers.), polished, good fine

£400-500

Roll confirms medal and clasp (Apprentice Daniel Edwin Young).

1330

*South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1879 (2442. Pte. G. Rowley. 94th Foot.), reverse of clasp brooch-mounted, very fine

£400-600

PRIVATE ROWLEY was wounded at the Battle of Bronkhorstspruit, 20 December 1880, during the first Anglo-Boer War; roll confirms.

1331

Afghanistan 1878-80, without clasp (2nd Lieut. E. Christy 8th Hussrs.), edge bruise, otherwise good extremely fine

£250-300

EDWIN CHRISTY was accidentally killed at Rawalpindi 13 December 1880 aged 25. There is a memorial tablet erected by his fellow officers in Christ Church, Rawalpindi.

1332

*Afghanistan 1878-80, without clasp (Bde. Sur: A. Guthrie, A.M.D.), minor rim nicks, very fine

£300-350

1333

Egypt 1882-89, reverse 1882, no clasp (Capt. H. W. Holden. 1/Berks. R.), with star wear, almost very fine

£150-200

Captain Harry Winton Holden served with the 1^{st} Battalion throughout the Egypt campaign as Transport Officer and he was present at the surrender of Kafr-ed-Daur. In 1885 he became Adjutant to the 3^{rd} Battalion, and was promoted Major in 1891.

1334

*East and West Africa 1887-1900, no clasp, edge impressed MWELE 1895 (D. H. Carmichael, Midn, H.M.S. St George), very fine or better

£400-500

DUNCAN CARMICHAEL was born in Camberwell, Surrey, on 21 July 1876. He entered the Royal Navy direct from the Training Ship CONWAY, joining Britannia Naval College on 15 July 1890. As a Naval Cadet he was appointed to HOWE (August 1892) and NARCISSUS (November 1892). Promoted to Midshipman on 15 February 1893, he joined RALEIGH (May 1893) and ST GEORGE (October 1894) and in the latter vessel he took part in the operations against the rebellious Chief Mbaruk in 1895. He was promoted to Acting Sub Lieutenant on 15 August 1896, and later confirmed in the rank with seniority of the same date. He was next appointed to CAMPERDOWN (October 1897). The Commander in Chief, Mediterranean promoted him to Acting Lieutenant on 27 May 1898, vice SALWEY, and he was later confirmed in the rank of Lieutenant with seniority of 31 December 1898.

As Lieutenant he was next appointed to the Boy Training Ship IMPREGNABLE (September 1899) and subsequently joined MUTINE (November 1901) as 1st Lieutenant and served four and a half years in this ship, mainly on the China Station. On returning to England he was appointed to the Command of GALA in June 1905, and next appointed to PEMBROKE for Command of the following small Destroyers: USK (October 1905), DOVE (April 1906), USK (May 1906) and LEE (November 1906) and was promoted to Lieutenant Commander on 31 December 1906. Following the collision between USK and VULTURE the Court of Enquiry held in 1906 found him negligent and warned him to be more careful in future. He appears not to have heeded this advice for whilst in Command of the Destroyer LEE he was dismissed his ship and reprimanded by sentence of Court Martial for hazarding, standing and losing H.M.S. LEE near Blackwood Bay on 5 October 1909. He was next appointed 1st Lieutenant of ALBION (December 1909) and whilst in this vessel he again incurred their Lordship's severe displeasure for misconduct as Mess President in allowing Officers' wine accounts to be kept irregularly and allowing bottles of spirits to be issued to Officers contrary to Admiralty Orders and Kings Regulations. As punishment he was ordered to be superseded on 24 January 1911. He retired at own request on 25 January 1912, but was recalled for war service in September 1914 and joined VICTORY for duties with the R.N. Division at Crystal Palace as Provost Marshall. He served until 4 August 1915 when he was discharged to shore medically unfit for further service. In November 1915 he was granted permission to proceed to South Africa to be employed with the German East Africa Expeditionary Force. He died at Pretoria Hospital, South Africa, on 9 June 1916.

Ex Capt. K.J. Douglas-Morris Collection, part II, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 12 February 1997, lot 275 (from where the above information is taken).

1335

A Sudan Pair awarded to Private F. Froud, Grenadier Guards, comprising

Queen's Sudan 1896-98, engraved in italic capitals (3796. Pte. F. Froud. 1/Gren. Gds.) and

Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, 1 clasp, Khartoum, regimentally impressed (Pte. F. Froud. Gren. Gds.), better than very fine (2)

Various Medals: Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Natal, engraved in serif capitals (12947. Cpl. E. Emmans. A.S.C.); Crimea 1854-56, officially impressed (J. Batton. 49th Regt.), suspension lacking, about fine; India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan N.W.F. 1919 (92 S-1. Sher Mohd Khan, Police Dept.), very fine; and a renamed Boer War pair to '242 Cpl C. E. Norton. Queensland I.B. Corps', comprising QSA with 5 clasps, Relief of Kimberley, Paardeberg, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Wittebergen and KSA with 2 clasps, very fine (5)

1337

A 1914-15 Star Trio awarded to **Commander C.H.R. Slingsby**, comprising 1914-15 Star **(Lt. Commr. G.H.R. Slingsby, R.N.)**, British War and Victory Medals **(Commr. C.H.R. Slingsby. R.N.)**, incorrect initial on Star, very fine to good very fine (3) £100-150

COMMANDER CHARLES HENRY REYNARD SLINGSBY (who changed his surname from Atkinson in February 1900) served in the Navy between 1888 and 1902, when he resigned. He rejoined as a Lieutenant Commander on 1 November 1915, was demobilised in 1919 and died in 1941; offered with some further service details.

1338

A 1914 Star and Bar Trio with Defence Medal awarded to Lieut. J.C.V. Polgreen, 9th Rifle Brigade, comprising 1914 Star with dated clasp (1276 Pte J.C.V. Polgreen. 1/28 Lond: R.), British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. J.C.V. Polgreen) and Defence Medal, unnamed, Victory medal dull in colour, otherwise good very fine (4)

£80-120

JOHN CLIFFORD VESEY POLGREEN was born in Monmouth but was living in Fulham when he joined the Artist's Rifles in December, 1913. He enlisted on the outbreak of War, going to France on 26 October 1914. He was appointed Lance Corporal in July 1915 but reverted, at his own request, to the status of a private soldier. He was commissioned as a 2^{nd} Lieutenant in the 9^{th} Rifle Brigade in November.

Polgreen appears to have been rather accident-prone. In July 1916 he was injured through his own fault when he tried to rush a 'slack' sentry who proved to be more awake than he had thought and soon afterwards, on 5 August, he was again wounded during a drill parade.

1339

Great War Pair: British War and Victory Medals (F. 6053 E.C. Hood. P.O.M. R.N.A.S.), good very fine (2)

£200-300

ERNEST CHARLES HOOD enlisted in the R.N.A.S., 29 June 1915; P.O. Mechanic 16 November 1917; served in Kite Balloon Section at Egmont and Port Said. Transferred to R.A.F. as Sgt. Mechanic, 1 April 1918; died in service at 40th Training Depot Station, 6 August 1918.

1340

British War Medal and India General Service Pair to a Nursing Sister: British War Medal (BM T-Nurse E.A. Archard), India General Service, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (Nsg. Sister E. Archard, Q,A,M,N,S,I,), very fine (2) £300-400

Ex Sotheby's, 21 October 1982, lot 225.

1341

British War Medal, bronze issue (3081 Lab. Umar Khan, 6 Lab. Cps.), fine

£80-100

1342

Various Great War Medals, comprising: British War and Victory Pair together with 'For Services Rendered' badge (25004 Pte. J. Jackson. R. Lanc. R.), extremely fine or better, with forwarding box, badge numbered 386528; British War and Victory Pair (210890. Sgt. A. Reeves. R.A.F.), extremely fine; British War Medal (F. 12120 F.G. Gerring. P.O.M. R.N.A.S.), official correction to number, extremely fine; and British War Medal (211213. F. Sgt. H.W. Smith. R.A.F.), very fine (7)

Jackson enlisted 25 November 1915, discharged 14 June 1918 as a result of 'Trench Foot'. REEVES enlisted 27 January 1916, transferred from R.N.A.S. to R.A.F. on 1 April 1918, discharged 30 April 1920 (offered with service details). Gerring and Smith (offered with service details and entitled to Victory Medal) both enlisted in February 1916 and also transferred from R.N.A.S. to R.A.F. on 1 April 1918.

1343

Great War and Coronation Trio awarded to Captain the Honourable Victor Alexander Charles Harbord, Scots Guards (later 7th Baron Suffield), Three: British War and Victory (Capt. Hon. V. A. C. Harbord), Coronation 1911, unnamed as issued, mounted for wearing, very fine (3)

VICTOR ALEXANDER CHARLES HARBORD was born on 12 September 1897. Queen Victoria was his Godmother, his father being a close confidant of the Prince of Wales (later Edward VII). In 1910 he was appointed Page of Honour to George V. He was educated at St. Neot's, Eversley, Eton and Sandhurst. He joined the family Regiment, the Scots Guards but as he was under-age for overseas service on joining he served with the 3rd (Reserve) Battalion in London.

On 3rd December 1916 he transferred to the 2nd Battalion and sailed for France. During the 3rd Battale of Ypres on 24 July 1917 he was invalided due to gas attack and was later evacuated home, serving again with the 3rd Battalion until February 1918 when he rejoined the Second Battalion. On 13/14 September he was once more invalided due to gas attack at Mouevres and was again evacuated home. He resigned his commission in December 1924 shortly after succeeding his father as 7th Baron Suffield.

He was recommissioned Captain in the Royal Norfolk Regiment in December 1939 but was placed unfit for active service on 5 July 1940. He died on 10 June 1943 while serving as Major with the Home Guard at Cromer.

British War and Victory Medal Pair awarded to **Colonel John Edmund Hugh Boustead,** comprising British War Medal and Victory Medal (South African bilingual issue; see note) **(2/Lt. H. Boustead)**, *extremely fine* (2) £200-300

It appears that these medals were prepared under South African authority and that they may duplicate Boustead's British-issued Great War pair (thought to accompany his Orders and other awards, although the point is not confirmed). The lot is offered with a copy of his autobiography *The Wind of the Morning,* London, 1971, and his newspaper obituary.

COL. JOHN EDMUND HUGH BOUSTEAD, K.B.E., C.M.G., D.S.O, M.C. and Bar, Sudan Camel Corps, late Gordon Highlanders, South African Infantry and Royal Navy, was born in Ceylon, the son of a tea planter. He was educated at Cheam School, Osborne Naval College. He passed out of the Naval College at Dartmouth as a midshipman in 1912, having been inspired by Leigh-Mallory (later killed in the Everest expedition of 1924) to become a mountaineer. He was sent to the Cape Town station aboard H.M.S. *Hyacinth*. On the outbreak of the Great War he deserted the Navy and joined the South African Infantry which was bound for the Western Front, for which he was subsequently to receive a King's Pardon.

In France he was employed as a sniper and was twice wounded. He won his first M.C. for the Battle of Arras (*London Gazette:* 26 July 1917). He later volunteered to fight in South Russia with General Denikin's army, where he trained the Cossacks as Lewis gunners. On 25 August 1919 at Kardel he checked a cavalry charge by firing the last serviceable Lewis gun across the saddle of his horse, for which he received both a Bar to the Military Cross (*London Gazette:* 20 April 1920) and the Order of St Vladimir, Fourth Class with Swords. On his return to England he read Russian at Oxford and captained the modern pentathlon team at the 1920 Olympics.

In 1924 he volunteered for transfer from the Gordon Highlanders to the Sudan Camel Corps (where he was to remain for the next 25 years, becoming commander of the Corps in 1931). In 1933 he gained a place in the Everest expedition for which he received the O.B.E the following year. In 1940 General Platt asked him to form the Frontier Battalion to cross the Abyssinian border against the Italians. The battalion formed the backbone of the campaign which drove out the Italians and restored the Emperor. Boustead was awarded the Distinguished Service Order for operations leading to the capture of Debre Markos (*London Gazette:* 30 December 1941).

In 1949 he retired from the Camel Corps. He was given the post of resident advisor to the Hadhramout States and British Agent to the East Aden Protectorate, based in Mukalla. After nine years he became Development Secretary for the Sultan of Muscat and Oman and later political agent to Abu Dhabi. He retired for three years in 1965 but in 1968 he was invited back to Abu Dhabi to take charge of the Sheikh's racing stud. He died in April 1980.

1345

Miscellaneous Great War and later Medals: 1914 Star Trio (SS-3300 Pte. E. Jermy. A.S.C); 1914-15 Star trio (T4-071809 Dvr. F. Gunning. A.S.C./T); 1914-15 Star trio with Defence Medal (608 Dvr. H. E. Perkins. A.S.C.); British War and Victory Medal pairs (6) (103690 Gnr. F. Chambers. R.A. / GS-126235 Pte. W. J. Curtis R. Fus. / 41033 Pte. F. Groom. Dorset R. / T4-211892 Dvr. S. A. Houlden A.S.C. (this in forwarding box) / H. C. Stoker. Ord. M.F.A. / 45819 Pte. A. E. Thomas. Leic. R.); 1914-15 Star (M.B. 229 C. Stoker. C.M.B. R.N.V.R), British War Medals (2) (89810 Dvr. W. Pierce. R.A. / GS 16391 Pte. J. Tideswell R. Fus.); Victory Medal (111445 Cpl. D. H. Blissett. R.A.); Imperial Service Medal, Elizabeth II type 2 (Geoffrey John Wibberley); Second World War Stars and Medals (18); and Indian Army Temperance medals (3), very fine or better (48)

I.S.M. London Gazette: 1 August 1975 (Ministry of Defence Progressor).

1346

Great War M.S.M. Group awarded to Acting Staff Serjeant H. G. (or G. H.) Taylor, Army Service Corps, Five:

1914 Star (S-24728 L. Cpl. H. G. Taylor A.S.C.),

British War and Victory Medals (A. S. Sjt. G. H.),

Army Long Service and Good Conduct, George V (Sjt. G. H.),

Meritorious Service Medal, George V (Cpl.-A. S. Sjt. H. G.), mounted for wearing very fine (5)

£150-200

M.S.M.: London Gazette: 17 June 1918 (Salisbury).

1347

Great War and Third Afghan War Group awarded to Lance-Serjeant Harvey Allen, 2nd Battalion Somerset Light Infantry, late Devonshire Regiment, Four:

British War and Victory Medals (2286 Cpl. H. Allen. Devon R.);

Territorial Force War Medal (Pte.);

India General Service, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (200640 L-Sgt. H. Allen. 2 Bn. Som. L. I.), extremely fine (4) £300-400

HARVEY ALLEN served with the $1/4^{th}$ Battalion Devonshire Regiment. On 9 October 1914 they sailed for India and were based at Ferozepore in the Punjab. On 2 March 1916 they landed at Basra and served on the Mesopotamian front for the rest of the War.

The lot is offered with a large quantity of contemporary postcards, including 28 romantic and other Great War (many addressed to Allen's fiancée and including two sent to her by his comrades while ill in Ferozepore), and approximately 210 from India, including some 160 views, 45 ethnographical, 6 humorous, and also a cloth envelope sent from Ferozepore.

1348

Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1936-39 **(K56583 A. H. Parratt. Sto. 1. R.N.)**, extremely fine; together with 1939-45 War Medal, in forwarding box addressed to Mr W. H. Parratt, with late issue slip (2)

*Naval General Service 1915-62 (Elizabeth II type II), 2 clasps, Canal Zone, Near East (PLY/X4688 DH Goundry Sgt RM), extremely fine £250-350

1350

General Service Medal 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan, **(M-726863 Pte. W. McFarlane. A.S.C.)**; and **General Service Medal 1962,** 1 clasp, South Arabia **(23701822 L/Cpl. A. S. McFarlane. R. E.)**, very fine and better **(2)** £100-120

1351

General Service Medal 1918-62 (Elizabeth II first type, with BR: OMN: in legend), 1 clasp, Malaya **(Capt. MW Gott. R.A.M.C.),** good very fine, toned

MARTIN WILSON GOTT, a Yorkshireman, was born in 1926. He was appointed a Lieutenant in the Royal Army Corps, 31 May 1954, and promoted to Captain, 31 May 1955; offered with brief biographical notes.

1352

Korea 1950-53, type 1 (T/22794399 Dvr. F. J. Oliver. R.A.O.C), very fine

£80-100

1353

South Atlantic 1982, with rosette **(AB(S) KL Brock D132830N HMS Antrim),** extremely fine, with additional rosette-mounted riband bar and original named card box of issue £400-600

H.M.S. Antrim, a guided missile destroyer commanded by Capt. B.G. Young, D.S.O., was the flagship of Operation 'Paraquet' (the recovery of South Georgia) in April 1982. Her helicopter, the Westland Wessex HAS.Mk3, was responsible for a remarkable rescue of 16 SAS men from Fortuna Glacier and the subsequent detection and disabling of the Argentinian submarine Santa Fe. Whilst at San Carlos Water a 1,000lb (450kg) bomb hit Antrim but fortunately did not explode; it was dealt with by C.P.O. Michael Fellows after 10 hours work which earned him a D.S.C..

After decommissioning in 1984 Antrim was sold to Chile and renamed Almirante Cochrane (in honour of Thomas Cochrane, who had commanded the Chilean Navy from 1817 to 1822).

1354

*South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (S(R) R Saxty D190522H HMS Ardent), extremely fine, unmounted, with original named card box of issue [this worn] £1,500-2,000

H.M.S. Ardent bombarded the airfield at Goose Green in support of the landings of 21 May 1982. She was heavily bombed twice by enemy aircraft and set on fire, killing 24 personnel and wounding 30 more. There was a gallant defence but no prospect of saving the ship.

Ex Dix, Noonan & Webb, 20 September 2002, lot 704.

1355

South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (Mne1 D C Hamblett P041910A RM), minor marks, virtually extremely fine

£500-700

1356

*Northern Ireland and South Atlantic Pair to the Royal Marines:

General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (P034758R AJ Azzopardi Mne RM); South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (LCpl AJ Azzopardi P034738R RM), mounted for wearing, good very fine to extremely fine (2)

£1,000-1,500

ANTHONY JOSEPH AZZOPARDI was born in Cardiff, Glamorgan on 3 June 1958. A Hospital Park-Room Technician by occupation, he enlisted into the Royal Marines in September 1975. He served in Northern Ireland with 40 Commando, possibly at Bessbrook during 1976 and Ballykelly during 1979-80, and later served with the 3rd Commando Brigade R.M. in the Falklands War. Azzopardi held the rank of Lance-Corporal between January 1980 and October 1982 and was discharged having completed his period of service in June 1985.

Ex Dix, Noonan & Webb, 22 September 2006, lot 1031.

1357

*Northern Ireland and South Atlantic Pair to the 3rd Parachute Regiment: General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24402423 Pte C P Stewart Para); South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (24402423 Pte C P Stewart Para), mounted for wearing, G.S.M. with minor surface scuffs, about extremely fine (2)

£1,500-2,000

*An Unusual South Atlantic and Long Service Pair awarded to male Acting Leading Medical Assistant and Nurse P. Goddard, Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service, comprising:

South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (ALMA P. Goddard D139180H NP 1830);

Naval Long Service & Good Conduct Medal, Elizabeth II (LEN (G) P. Goddard Y003089P QARNNS),

both medals (coincidentally) showing minor official corrections to rank, mounted for wearing, good very fine (2)

£1,200-1,500

Naval Party 1830 was the medical contingent serving aboard the Hospital Ship *Uganda*. This party was under the command of Cmdr A.B. Gough, R.N. and Surgeon Capt. A.J. Rintoul, R.N.. *Uganda* arrived in the combat area on the 11th May and established a Red Cross Box with her Argentine counterpart, receiving her first casualties on the following day.



1359

*Northern Ireland and South Atlantic Long Service Trio to the Scots Guards: General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24327520 Gdsm. F.J.N. Collins SG.); South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (24327520 Gdsm F J N Collins SG); Army Long Service and Good Conduct, Elizabeth II (Gdsm. FJN Collins, Scots Guards), mounted for wearing, a few surface marks on GSM, about extremely fine (3)

£1,500-2,000



1360

*Northern Ireland and South Atlantic Long Service Trio to the Welsh Guards:

General Service 1962, 1 clasp Northern Ireland (24468837 Gdsm JL Criddle WG); South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (24468837 Gdsm JL Criddle WG);

Army Long Service and Good Conduct, Elizabeth II (24468837 Cpl JL Criddle WG);

all extremely fine; offered with an electroplate Presentation Salver, diameter 26.5cm, engraved with Regimental crest and inscribed: 'PRESENTED TO 24468337 LSGT. J.L. CRIDDLE FOR 22 YEARS LOYAL SERVICE AS A WELSH GUARDSMAN OCTOBER 1977 TO NOVEMBER 2000' (lot)



*A South Atlantic, General and Long Service Group: Five:

South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (ALStd B Johnston D157279H HMS Broadsword); NATO Service Medal, 1 clasp, Former Yugoslavia, unnamed; General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (POStd B Johnston D157279H RN); Naval Long Service and Good Conduct, Elizabeth II (LStd B Johnston D157279H RN); Golden Jubilee 2002, in (named) forwarding box, first four mounted as worn, generally good very fine, the last mint state (5)

£600-800



1362

*A Campaign and Long Service Group to the Royal Artillery, Five:
General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24432224 Gnr G A Powell RA);
South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (24432224 LBdr G A Powell RA);
United Nations Medal for Cyprus, without clasp, unnamed as issued;
Gulf Medal, with clasp 16 Jan-28 Feb 1991 and rosette (24432224 Sgt G A Powell RA);
Army Long Service and Good Conduct, Regular Army (24432224 Sgt G A Powell RA),
mounted for wearing (the last separately so), good very fine to extremely fine (5)

Northern Ireland and Brunei Service Group awarded to Warrant Officer 2. A.M. Boyle, Royal Army Pay Corps, Four:

General Service Medal 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland, (23893325 WO2 A. M. Boyle RAPC);

Army Long Service and Good Conduct, Elizabeth II (23893325 WO2 A. M. Boyle RAPC);

BRUNEI, Most Blessed Order of Setia Negara Brunei, 4th Class breast badge, in silver-gilt and enamels;

Royal Brunei Malay Regiment General Service Medal 1965,

mounted for wearing, third with slack centre, very fine (4)

£200-300

1364

Iraq Pair awarded to Lance Corporal Z. H. Chowdhry, Royal Signals:

Iraq Medal 2004, no clasp (LCpl Z H Chowdhry R Signals);

NATO Service Medal, 1 clasp, Kosovo, mounted for wearing, good very fine (2)

£200-250

CORPORAL ZULFIQHAR HAIDER CHOWDHRY was born in Saudi Arabia, his father being Bangladeshi and his mother Iraqi. He emigrated to the United Kingdom in 1990, joining the Royal Signals in August 1997. Posted to Germany in September 1998, he was attached in June 1999 to the 4th United Kingdom Armoured Brigade Headquarters and Signal Squadron 204 for NATO's invasion of Kosovo, where he was based outside Pristina. In July 2001 he took part in Exercise Saif Sareea 2 in Oman, returning to the UK in December.

In April 2003 he was deployed on Operation Telic and was stationed at the port of Umm Qasr in Southern Iraq, apparently being the only known soldier of Iraqi parentage serving with the British Army in Iraq. On returning from operations in October he was posted to the Ethnic Minorities Recruiting team in Aldershot where he remained until January, 2005. Following a spell in Germany he left the Army in July 2006.

Offered with typed research.

1365

Operational Service Medal, 1 clasp, Afghanistan (Mne. DJ Harris P064490W RM), mint state, in named box of issue

£150-200

1366

Northern Ireland and Gulf Group to the Royal Corps of Transport, Four:

General Service 1962, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24557715 LCpl T R Clarke RCT);

Gulf Medal, 1 clasp 16 Jan-28 Feb 1991 (24557715 LCpl T R Clarke RCT);

Saudi Arabian Medal for the Liberation of Kuwait, unnamed;

Kuwaiti Liberation Medal, Fourth Grade, unnamed,

first two mounted for wearing, minor marks but good very fine, others better (4)

£200-250

ORDERS AND RELATED ITEMS

1367

The Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Knight Commander's set of insignia, by Garrard & Co, comprising neck badge, in silver-gilt and enamels, and breast star, in silver, with gilt and enamelled centre and gold retaining pin, *in case of issue, extremely fine* (2) £800-1000

1368

*A Mesopotamia C.I.E. Group awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Warwick Illius, Indian Medical Service, Seven:

Order of the Indian Empire, Companion's neck badge, by Garrard & Co, in gold and enamels;

India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp Waziristan 1901-02 (Lieut. H. W. Illius I.M.S.);

Tibet 1903-1904, 1 clasp Gyantse, (Captn. H. Warwick Illius I.M.S.);

1914-15 Star (Major H. W. Illius. I.M.S.);

British War Medal (Lt. Col. H. W. Illius);

Victory Medal, with Oak Leaf for Mention in Despatches (Lt. Col. H. W. Illius);

General Service Medal 1918-62, 1 clasp, Iraq, with Oak Leaf for Mention in Despatches (Lt. Col. H. W. Illius),

first extremely fine, in case of issue, others mounted for wearing and generally very fine but Tibet with damaged clasp rivet;

together with a group of related miniatures (the C.I.E. in silver-gilt and G.S.M. lacking M.i.D.) (14)

£2,500-3,000

C.I.E.: London Gazette: 9 September 1921: "...For services during the operations in Mesopotamia."

Mentions in Despatches: London Gazette: 12 January 1920 and 9 September 1921 (Lieutenant General Haldene's).

HENRY WARWICK ILLIUS was born in Bahia, Brazil on 9 October 1875. The family moved to England while Henry was still in his infancy. He received his medical education at St. Bartholomew's hospital. He was commissioned Lieutenant in the Indian Medical Service 27 June 1901 and was attached to Vaughan's Rifles (his twin brother John also passed in the list of 27 June 1901 and was commissioned in July of the following year). He served in the Waziristan campaign 1901-02 and in Tibet, where he took part in operations at Gyantse and Niami. After marrying at the end of 1905 he transferred to civil employment in the United Provinces, where he was on plague duty from 1907-09.

He rejoined the military service on the outbreak of the Great War, serving in Mesopotamia, and later in operations in Iraq between 1920 and 1921. He then returned to civil practice, retiring in 1930. He died at Funchal, Madeira on 13 February 1941.

The lot is offered with: two portrait photos, one dating from shortly after his being commissioned and the other (illustrated on inside back cover) from 1925; and two handwritten letters to his wife dated 14 June and 3rd July 1930, referring to his treatment of the Maharajah of Benares for kidney trouble at Ramnagar, and also to the reluctance of the Benares authorities to pay his correct expenses, thereby delaying his planned retirement.

See inside back cover illustration.



*King's Medal and Collar for African Chiefs, George V type 1 (1920-30), Second Class, in silver, the large oval medal suspended by a 67-link collar formed of eight Royal cyphers, nine crowns, sixteen Tudor roses and thirty-four plain links (Jamieson fig. 51), medal with considerable contact wear, about fine, collar somewhat better, rare

£300-400

1370

Plate: The Most Noble of the Garter, a Coalport plate, retailed by Nixon & Son, Windsor, centre displaying the breast star of the Order, diameter 25cm, *gilding worn and part restored, fine*£100-200

MINIATURE ORDERS AND MEDALS

1371

*Miniatures: Sutlej 1845-46, 2 engraved clasps, Moodkee, Ferozeshuhur, with Hunt and Roskell riband buckle, minor edge faults, virtually mint state; and Canada General Service 1866-70, 2 clasps, Fenian Raid 1870, Red River 1870, extremely fine (2) £180-220

First only illustrated.

1372

Miniature: Order of the Bath, Civil Division, in gold, 21.8 x 16.8 mm, extremely fine

£80-100

1373

*Miniatures: A Trio, comprising: Great Britain, Medal of the Order of the British Empire (Civil); Russia, Order of St. Stanislaus, with swords, in silver-gilt and enamels and Order of St. Anne, with swords, in silver-gilt and enamels, *good very fine* (3) £300-400

1374

*Miniatures: A Great War D.S.M. Group of Six, comprising: Great Britain, Distinguished Service Medal (George V), 1914-15 Star, British War Medal (with 5 clasps Russia, Baltic 1915, Baltic S/M's, Siberia 1918-19, Caspian), Victory Medal; Russia, Insignia of Distinction of the Order of St. George, Cross in silver (class not indicated), and Medal for Bravery, Third Class, mounted for wearing, extremely fine and of fine quality manufacture (6)

£300-400

1375

*Miniatures: A Boer War and later Group of Thirteen including the Order of St. Vladimir, comprising: Great Britain, Order of the Bath (Military), Order of St. Michael and St. George, D.S.O. (George V), Queen's South Africa Medal 1899-1902, five clasps Cape Colony, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, King's South Africa Medal 1901-02, one clasp South Africa 1902, Africa General Service Medal 1902-56, one clasp S. Nigeria 1904, 1914 Star, British War Medal, Victory Medal with M.i.D., India General Service 1908-35, one clasp Waziristan 1921-24, France, Légion d'Honneur with rosette, Russia, Order of St. Vladimir with swords, and France, Croix de Guerre, 1914-15, very fine and better (13)

1376

*Miniature: France, Order of the St. Esprit, miniature badge, in gold, comprising Maltese cross with dove pendent below, 30mm (including pendant) x 17 mm, very fine £150-200

1377

*Miniatures: The Set of Dress Miniature Medals as worn by King Manuel II of Portugal, Thirteen:

PORTUGAL, Orders of the Tower and Sword, Christ, St. Aviz, St James of the Sword, in silver-gilt and enamels;

PORTUGAL, Order of Villa Viçosa (ribbon and suspension only – the badge lacking);

GREAT BRITAIN, Royal Victorian Order, FRANCE, Légion d'Honneur and BELGIUM, Order of Léopold (Military), all in silver-gilt and enamels; GREAT BRITAIN, Order of St. John of Jerusalem, British War Medal, and Coronation Medal, 1911;

PORTUGAL, Gold City of Porto Medal, in bronze-gilt;

ITALY, Gold Messina Earthquake Medal, in bronze-gilt,

mounted court-style, some chipped in places but very fine or better, in a fitted case by Spink; together with a duplicate (loose) miniature Coronation Medal, 1911 (14) £2,500-3,000

Provenance: Ex 'Property of a Princely Family' auction, Sotheby's Geneva, 16 May 1991, lot 352.

LIFESAVING AND PLAGUE MEDALS

1378

Royal Humane Society, a *copy* of a large silver medal (successful) **(R.H.S. D^{o.} L. HALL VITAM OB RESTITUTAM DONO DAT 1818)** probably an old electrotype copy, in a glazed silver frame of usual pattern, with loop suspension £40-60

Ex Col. D.G.B. Riddick Collection (part II), Dix, Noonan & Webb, 6 December 2006, lot 114.



*Holloway Cholera Medal, 1849, in silver-gilt, entirely engraved; the plain hallmarked disc in a raised circular border with foliate decoration around the edge and integral post to accept hinged straight bar suspension, obv., A Token of Gratitude Presented to Dr Carrington, by his poor Patients for his unwearied attention during the Cholera, Holloway 1849; rev., Blessed is he that considereth the Poor: The Lord Will deliver him in time of trouble. Ps. 41.1., ', 45.5mm (excluding suspension), good very fine, with original ribbon, buckle and pin for suspension

£250-300

BENJAMIN CARRINGTON came from Essex, qualifying as a M.D. at St. Andrews University in 1846. He became the resident Medical Officer of the North Islington Dispensary at Holloway, where he served during the great cholera epidemic of 1849. For 3 months the disease ravaged crowded and unsanitary areas of London, causing an estimated 13,250 deaths.

From the Jack Boddington Collection of Lifesaving Medals, Dix, Noonan & Webb, 6 December 2006, lot 648.

1380

*Hong Kong Plague 1894, in silver, with barrel loop and ring suspension as issued, officially impressed (Corporal J. Graham, R.E.), with edge knocks, good fine £1,400-1,600

Roll confirms; approximately 15 awards to the Royal Engineers known. Ex Dr. A. King Collection, Morton & Eden, 3 October 2003, lot 183.

1381

*Maidstone Typhoid Medal, 1897, in silver, engraved on reverse cartouche incorporating an enamelled Red Cross (Cpl. S.A. Russell), 31.5mm (excluding suspension), with integral loop for ring suspension, original riband and silver brooch-type suspender, good very fine £200-300

A major outbreak of typhoid in Maidstone, Kent during the summer of 1897 was largely controlled through rigorous emergency measures involving numerous medical staff and helpers; there were however 132 deaths. Medals were awarded at a special presentation in the town, Edith Cavell being numbered amongst the recipients.

1382

Maidstone Typhoid Medal, 1897, another, in silver, engraved on reverse cartouche without an enamelled Red Cross (A.M. Richards), 31.5mm (excluding suspension), with original integral loop for ring suspension but has additionally been brooch-mounted on reverse, wellworn, about fine

£100-150

1383

Liverpool Shipwreck and Humane Society, General Medal 1894, in silver, engraved in italics **(To Thomas Farrell for Gallant Service 30th March 1919)**, edge bruised, very fine, in case of issue

OTHER MEDALS

1384

*A Presentation Striking of a Waterloo Medal, 1815, with officially impressed Waterloo style naming and date (British Mint 8th January 1828. Viva Miguel), fitted with conventional steel clip (at UE of MIGUEL) and split-ring suspension, with a minor edge bruise, extremely fine
£2,000-2,500

DON MIGUEL RICARDO DE ALAVA, while in exile in England, accompanied the Duke of Wellington to an audience with King George IV on 8th January 1828. The Duke introduced him as a close friend and a loyal ally of the British Crown and a special Waterloo medal was ordered from the Royal Mint in honour the occasion. It should be noted that a second example is known — a specimen without suspension but believed to be identically named.

De Alava, born in Vittoria in 1770, holds the unusual distinction of having served at both Trafalgar and Waterloo *on different sides*. He began his service career in the Spanish Navy and rose to the rank of Captain. He transferred to the Army retaining the same rank and as an Officer of Marines he participated in the Battle of Trafalgar aboard the *Santa Ana*, the flagship of his uncle, Vice-Admiral Ignacio-Maria de Alava y Saenz de Navarete.

At the 1809 Assembly in Bayonne he was prominent amongst those who accepted the new Constitution from Joseph Napoleon as King of Spain. Following the defeat of General Dupont at Bailen later that year, however, he joined the National Independence party who were allied with the British. He was appointed Commissary at the British headquarters by the National Cortes and Wellington, who regarded him with great favour, appointed him as one of his Aides-de-Camp. De Alava spent the remainder of the Peninsular War attached to Wellington's staff, eventually attaining the rank of Brigadier-General

On the Restoration of Ferdinand VII in 1814 de Alava was initially jailed but swiftly released thanks to the influence of another uncle, the inquisitor Ethenard, and of Wellington. The King later appointed him as Ambassador to The Hague, geographically close to the impending Waterloo campaign. He returned to Wellington's Field Staff as Spanish Commissioner with the rank of Lieutenant-General and was thus one of four allied Commissioners present at Waterloo.

In 1819 he was recalled to Spain in recognition of the kindness he showed to banished fellow countrymen. On the outbreak of the Revolution of 1820 he was chosen as the Province of Alava's representative in the Cortes, soon achieving prominence within the party of the *Exultados* and becoming President in 1822. De Alava fought with the militia to maintain the authority of the Cortes against the rebels and when the French invaded Cádiz he was commissioned by the Cortes to negotiate with the Duc d'Angoulême, thereby assisting the Restoration of Ferdinand VII. No sooner had Ferdinand regained power than he reneged on his pledges towards a liberal police and de Alava was forced into exile (first to Gibraltar and thence to England, where he remained until the death of Ferdinand in 1833).

Following the death of Ferdinand de Alava espoused the cause of Maria Christina against Don Carlos and was appointed Ambassador to London in 1834 and to Paris in 1835. Following the Insurrection of La Granja in 1836 he refused to sign the new constitution and retired to France, dying at Barèges in 1843.



1396 (reduced)

*A Presentation Striking of a Military General Service Medal 1793-1814, without suspension, with officially impressed naming and date (The King of Sardinia December 4th 1855), minor rim nicks and marks from handling, otherwise good extremely fine £2,500-3,000

At Queen Victoria's invitation King Victor Emmanuel II undertook a visit to England between 30 November and 8 December 1855. A Reception was held for him at the Guildhall on 4 December and the occasion was marked by the issue of a large portrait medal by Benjamin Wyon (no. 8 in the City of London series; see B.H.M. 2567 and notes). On 26 January 1855 Sardinia had signed a Convention with England and France against Russia and in April had despatched 15,000 troops, commanded by General Marmora, to the Crimea.

‡1386

Volunteer Long Service and Good Conduct Medal, Victoria, engraved in upright capitals **(Corpl. W. Stirling),** with added clasp similarly engraved, *good very fine* £30-50

1387

Natal Coronation Medal 1902, in silver, 29mm, extremely fine and toned

£50-70

1388

*A Great War Tribute Fob Medal, in 9 ct. gold, by Fattorini & sons, Bradford, reverse engraved *Presented to J.C. Beecroft by the Inhabitants of the Washburn Valley 1921,* 37.5 x 32.5mm, *very fine*

GALLANTRY AWARDS

1389

Medal Cases (4), for the Distinguished Service Order, Distinguished Service Cross, Distinguished Flying Cross and Military Cross, all official and of the Great War period, with some scuffing to leather but generally in good condition (4) £80-120

1390

*A Distinguished Service Medal awarded to PETTY OFFICER GEORGE ROWE, Siberian Armoured Trains, for the Battle of Dukhovskaya (212126 G. Rowe, P.O. 1 Cl. "Usuri" 23 August 1918), about extremely fine £2,500-3,000

London Gazette: 15 February 1919 (general citation).

In January 1918 H.M.S. *Suffolk* was sent to Vladivostok in view of the conditions in the city, and landing parties were held in readiness. On 3 April the allies eventually sent men ashore after the murder of some Japanese subjects, and the first party of Royal Marines from the *Suffolk* was entrusted with the protection of the British consulate. On 22 May further seaman and marines were landed but by 29 June affairs had become so serious that the allies decided to disarm the Bolsheviks in the city and take charge of all the major installations there. The *Suffolk* parties were employed as dockyard sentries and also as guards for the German and Austrian prisoners of war. They were also charged with getting the barracks ready for the 25th Middlesex Regiment who arrived on 3rd August.

On 14th August the *Suffolk* mounted two 12 pounders in a railway truck for use on the Usuri River. Manned by a detachment of R.M.L.I. under Captain J.A. Bath, these guns left for the Usuri front on the 16th, while two further guns were mounted on the ship with which Commander Wolfe Murray left for the front on the 21st. Captain Bath, Surgeon Lieutenant Hardcastle Smith and Gunner John Hawke Moffat each received the Distinguished Service Cross for bravery during the battles on the Usuri front between 14th and 28th August, when the detachment returned to the ship. (Offered with a photocopied extract from Sir H.E. Blumberg, *Britain's Sea Soldiers, a record of the Royal Marines during the war of 1914-19*)

GEORGE ROWE died on 7th August 1920 and is buried at Ford Park Cemetery, Plymouth.

Ex Capt. K.J. Douglas-Morris Collection (Part 1), Dix, Noonan & Webb, 16 October 1996, lot 679.

1391

Military Cross, George V, unnamed as issued, with bar for second award, in case of issue, extremely fine

£600-800

1392

A Great War Distinguished Conduct Medal Group awarded to Serjeant J. Stone, 7th Batt., Yorkshire Light Infantry, Four: Distinguished Conduct Medal (12831 L. Sjt: J. Stone. 7/York: L.I.);

1914-15 Star, British War and Victory Medals (Sjt.), good very fine or better (4)

£1,000-1,500

Distinguished Conduct Medal: London Gazette: 25 November 1916:

"For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his men with great courage and determination, himself killing two of the enemy. He greatly assisted in the capture of the enemy trenches, and set a splendid example to his men. He was wounded."

1393

A Great War "Finsbury Rifles" Military Medal (50578 L. Cpl. J. Maguire. 11/R. Fus); together with a Great War trio: 1914-15 Star (2766 Pte. L.[sic] N. Maguire. R. Fus.), British War and Victory Medals (2766 Pte. J.[sic] N. Maguire. R. Fus.), extremely fine or better (4)

£300-350

Military Medal: London Gazette: 2 November 1917 (Surrey).

Great War Military Medal (229536 Pte. T. G. King, 26 (S) Bn: R. Fus.), very fine

£300-400

London Gazette: 6 August 1918 (Hampstead).

Sold with 41st Division certificate of appreciation, signed by Major General Sydney Lawford, with the following account of the action.

"I wish to place on record my appreciation of your gallantry & devotion to duty on 24 March 1918 when you carried important messages under heavy fire from the front line to Batn. & Bde. H.Q. Later returning with the replies which you delivered to several officers in exposed positions in the front line. Your cheerfulness & courage was an example to all."

Thomas George King was born in 1894 and was called up 3 June 1915 with the East Surrey Yeomanry which formed part of the East Surrey Regiment. He was transferred to the 26th Battalion Royal Fusiliers where he served until his discharge on 10 May 1919.

His father, also Thomas, was Master-at-Arms aboard the R.M.S. *Titanic* and lost his life on the fateful maiden voyage in 1912, having transferred from her sister ship the *Olympic*.

Offered with discharge certificate, pencil-written letter of congratulations from his Captain on receiving the M.M., two Royal Fusiliers shoulder patches, a display frame for the M.M., and a group photograph from which the illustration opposite is taken.



1395

Great War Military Medal Group awarded to Serjeant C. S. Franklin, Royal Garrison Artillery, Three: Military Medal (34187 Sjt. C. S. Franklin. R.G.A.), British War and Victory Medals (R.A.), extremely fine or better (3) £280-320

Military Medal: London Gazette: 13 March 1919 (57 Siege By; Stanford-le-Hope).

1396

*A Great War, South Russia and Second World War Middle East Counter-Intelligence Group awarded to Brigadier Charles Douglas Roberts, C.B.E., Twelve:

- (i) Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Commander's Neck Badge;
- (ii)-(iii) British War and Victory Medals (Capt. C.D. Roberts);
- (iv)-(vii) 1939-45 Star, Africa Star, Defence and War Medals, with M.i.D., all unnamed as issued;
- (viii) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (Brig. C.D. Roberts C.B.E. Staff);
- (ix) Coronation 1953
- (x) Russia, Order of St. Anne, Military Division, 3rd Class Badge, by Dmitry Osipov, in gold and enamels;
- (xi) Russia, Order of St. Stanislaus, Military Division, 3rd Class Badge, 1917 issue in bronze-gilt and enamels, also by Dmitry Osipov;
- (xii) **U.S.A.,** Legion of Merit, Officer's Badge;

generally extremely fine, the group display-mounted in a frame, both Russian awards with original riband bows for wearing, all ribbons rather faded from exposure to light (12) £6,000-8,000

Great War:

The lot is offered with photocopied research, including related Great War Medal card indicating that Captain C.D. Roberts, General List, served with the British Military Mission in South Russia, 14 May 1919 – 1 March 1920. The award to T/2nd Lieut. Roberts of The Order of St. Anne 3nd Class with swords is confirmed (Brough, Ray, *White Russian Awards to British & Commonwealth Servicemen during the Allied Intervention in Russia 1918-1920*, London, 1991, p. 51).

Second World War and post-War:

M.i.D.: London Gazette: 24 June 1943.

O.B.E.: London Gazette: 14 October 1943 (Security Intelligence, Middle East).

The official recommendation for the award of an O.B.E. (later to be replaced with a C.B.E.) reads: 'Lt.-Colonel ROBERTS has been responsible for organising and conducting the counter-intelligence work in SYRIA since July 1941. His work has largely contributed to our immunity from enemy espionage and sabotage in that territory. He has succeeded in breaking up in their early stages several enemy organisations and has been responsible for the capture and conviction on a charge of espionage of twelve enemy agents.'

C.B.E.: London Gazette: 1 January 1946.

Legion of Merit: London Gazette: 28 January 1949 (substituted for the announcement of 19 November 1948).



*A Second World War Ammunition Disposal George Medal Group awarded to Able Seaman James Carr, Royal Navy, Five: George Medal, George VI type 1 (A.B. James Carr, P/JX 695890. R.N.);

1939-45 Star, France and Germany Star, Defence and War Medals, all unnamed as issued, about extremely fine (5)

£3,500-4,000

George Medal: London Gazette: 15 May 1945.

"For outstanding courage in disposing of live ammunition and thus preventing great loss of life in his ship. When the ammunition was being taken out of the ship and two boxes of demolition charges had been placed on the deck ready to be lowered, Able Seaman Carr saw smoke doming from one of them and realised that a fuse had ignited. Well aware of the danger he was running he at once went to pick up the box and throw it over the starboard side where he knew there were no working parties. The box blew up and he was severely wounded."

The following is taken from the official recommendation:

"On 5th February 1945 Carr was unloading ammunition from his ship. He had been detailed to lower boxes over the bows to a ramp below. Two boxes of demolition charges had been placed on the deck ready to be lowered when Carr noticed that smoke was coming from one of them and realised that a fuse had ignited. He called for help, but then, realising from experience in the Army (where he had worked on ammunition and knew when it was in a state of immediate danger) that none could come quickly enough to save an explosion, he went to pick the box up to throw it over the starboard side where there were no working parties. The box burst while he was bending over it, blowing part of the bows of the ship off and killing a man 50 yards away. Carr was critically injured in this act of very great courage. He had had time to think where to throw the box with the least risk to his shipmates, and there is no doubt that his deliberation and lack of thought for himself lessened the effect of the accident. His own wounds were such that he must have sustained much of the force of the explosion. His face and hands were severely burned and he sustained compound fractures of both legs. His survival is little short of miraculous."

James Carr was born in Liverpool in 1912. He served in the Army between July 1940 and December 1943, subsequently transferring to the Royal Navy. From the end of March 1943 he served aboard *LST No. 415*. She landed vehicles and troops at *Sword Beach* on D-Day and later in the year made frequent trips to and from the Normandy coast, returning with POW's and the wounded. In January 1945, while on route to France, she was torpedoed by an enemy submarine off the Thames estuary. Once it was established that she was not about to sink, she was towed by three tugs to be beached between Tilbury and Grays. A number of the crew, including Carr, were formed into a guard and de-storing party and they remained with the ship. The Army removed the abandoned arms and kit, and such vehicles as could be recovered. The ship was left with the bow doors open and a light footbridge out to the beach for access at high water. The Oerlikon 20 mm guns and most of the ammunition were removed by a working party with a lorry. At the time of the explosion the "fireworks locker" on the upper deck was being emptied, the crew carrying the items to the forecastle and lowering the items to the beach where the outside working party carried it to the lorry about thirty yards away.

At the time of the explosion Carr was alone on the forecastle. At first the crew thought a V2 rocket had landed nearby, but on reaching the upper deck it was clear that the blast was on the bow of the ship. Carr had had apparently been stooping over the boxes of charges when it exploded, sending him into the starboard gun pit. He was clearly severely injured and a man standing in the rear of a Bedford truck was killed outright by a flying piece of steel. Carr was later taken to Tilbury Hospital and was invalided out of the Navy on 19 March 1946.

Offered with various photocopied research, including letters from the recipient's shipmates, and with photographs of LST No. 415 (one of which is illustrated).





*A Well-Documented Military O.B.E. and Burma D.F.C. Group awarded to Group Captain Peter Knapton, who served in Russia, the Western Desert, India and Burma and who was later Air Attaché to Iran and Thailand, Twelve:

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O.B.E.: London Gazette, 1 January 1975 (Wing Commander Peter Alfred Knapton, D.F.C.).

D.F.C.: London Gazette, 19 May 1944 (Flight Lieutenant Peter Arthur Knapton; it may be noted that the name 'Arthur' was incorrect.).

The following is taken from the recommendation for the D.F.C., dated 4 March 1944:

PARTICULARS OF MERITORIOUS SERVICE

'This Officer has been engaged on operations since May, 1941, in England, Russia, the Middle East and India, and has completed 236 operational hours. During recent intense air operations on the Arakan Front, F/O. Knapton was leading a flight, escorting supply droppers, when they were attacked by two formations of enemy aircraft. Although heavily outnumbered, and, in spite of the fact that two of his flight were shot down, he remained supporting the D.C's., and succeeded in destroying an Oscar. He continues to show great enthusiasm and keenness, and is a great asset to the Squadron both on the ground and in the air.'



In Russia, 1941

PETER ALFRED KNAPTON was born on 4 May 1921 (his original initials being 'A.P.' rather than 'P.A.'). His early flying training took place in Rhodesia in 1940 and he joined 257 (Hurricane) Squadron at Coltishall, near Norwich, in 1941. In July he and Hector Keil, a fellow sergeant pilot from Rhodesia, were summoned by their C.O., Squadron Leader 'Cowboy' Blatchford, to be told they were headed for Russia (much later, in 1972, Knapton was to discover that their names had simply been pulled out of a hat by his friend, Burmese officer Teddy Tin Thynne). Thus the 20-year old Knapton found himself with 134 Squadron aboard the *Llanstephan Castle* bound for Archangel, her deck space loaded with crated Hurricanes.

Returning home in late 1941, Knapton gained some Spitfire experience before being posted to the Western Desert in 1942-43 ('quite a change from Russia'). From there he was sent to India in November, 1943. During 1944 and the first half of 1945 he was flying Hurricanes, and later Thunderbolts, on operations on the Arakan Front in Burma and he was awarded the D.F.C. After the War he was a Gunnery Instructor before learning Russian and taking up the post of Assistant Air Attaché to Moscow, where he met his wife; the couple were married in 1953.



Wedding Day, 1953



Air Attaché

His logbooks record many hours' experience on jet aircraft from 1955 and subsequent postings included Staff Officer, HQ Fighter Command, and Officer Commanding 280 Signals Unit in Cyprus. In 1963 he was attached to Lord Mountbatten's Staff for a special project before being appointed Air Attaché in Tehran (1964-67). From 1969-74 he was Air Attaché in Thailand, receiving the Order of the Crown, and his final position was as Staff Officer at the Ministry of Defence. He retired on 31 October, 1979.

Offered with the lot are:

 $Three \ Pilot's \ Flying \ Log \ Books \ covering \ the \ periods \ (i) \ Sept. \ 1940-May \ 1947, \ (ii) \ June \ 1947-Dec. \ 1965 \ and \ (iii) \ Jan. \ 1966-Nov. \ 1973;$

Original Airman's Service and Pay Book, issued in 1941

Named forwarding slip for the D.F.C.;

Original Warrant for O.B.E. (as Wing Commander) dated 1st January 1975, and associated named correspondence from the Central Chancery;

Official named 'Restricted Permission to Wear' document for the Thai Order of the Crown, dated 9 May, 1972;

Forwarding slip for the Arctic Emblem;

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